

## BONDS TO BE ISSUED WITHOUT ANY DELAY

**ACTION SAID TO HAVE BEEN DECIDED UPON.**

**Amount Is Alleged to Be \$100,000,000 Russia May Take Them All—Senate Reorganizations Completed—Lodge Talks of the Monroe Doctrine—General Washington News.**

Washington, Dec. 31.—There seems to be no reason to doubt that preparations have been made for the issue of another block of 4 per cent bonds, but whether the amount will be \$100,000,000 is unknown, and, perhaps, undetermined. There is reason for the belief that, notwithstanding the objections of the president and secretary of the treasury to the house bond bill, the issue of 4 per cent bonds would be delayed to the very latest possible time, if any assurance could be given that the senate would take up and pass the house bill within a reasonable time.

It is said that an understanding has been reached with certain New York bankers under which they are to take the bonds whenever called upon to do so. All denials of the truth of this statement should be received with incredulity in the light of the emphatic denials made about the agreement with the syndicate preceding the last bond issue. It is expected that, when proposals are invited, the issue will be at least \$100,000,000, a sum which it is believed will be sufficient to enable the secretary to maintain the gold fund at or about the sum generally regarded as necessary for proper protection, until the revenues grow to the point of reaching the expenditures. With upward of \$150,000,000 of gold it would not be difficult for the secretary to control a sufficient amount in legal tenders to make it difficult for shippers to obtain their supply from the treasury. The available cash now, exclusive of the gold fund, is \$110,000,000, of which \$80,432,657 is in legal tenders, not covered by certificates, of which there are outstanding \$18,000,000.

The general expectation is that the finance committee will report the bond bill to the senate with a free-coinage amendment, and that it will pass in that shape.

One of the curious stories in connection with the expected forthcoming bond issue is that it is understood that the administration expects the new bonds to be taken by Russian capitalists, not by the Russian government, but by the Imperial Bank of St. Petersburg, or some other strong financial institution of that city, which has large quantities of gold in its vault. The Russian government has made no offer to advance gold.

### SENATE REORGANIZATION.

**Republicans Are in Nominal Control of the Upper House.**

Washington, Dec. 31.—In the senate Monday the motion for the reorganization was offered and Mr. Gorman called for the yeas and nays in order to test the strength of the republicans. The first populist senator called was Allen of Nebraska, who did not vote. Butler did not vote. The democrats all voted no. Kyle (Pop., S. D.) voted no. Senator Pepper did not vote, and Stewart also remained silent. The reorganization resolution passed the senate—yeas, 30; nays, 28.

As soon as the vote was announced Mr. Allen made an explanation of the attitude of the third-party men. He wanted the senate and the country to understand that, though small in number, they constituted the nucleus of a thoroughly organized party, completely independent in political principles and sympathies. When the senate convened a majority of the members professed to be in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver. Letters had been sent to all of them to meet with a view to organizing the senate on silver lines. With the exception of two or three there was no response. The populists had, therefore, Mr. Allen said, decided to take no part in the question of who should control the organization. Personally he was glad the responsibility of legislation had passed into the hands of the republicans at both ends of the capitol.

Mr. Mitchell (Rep., Ore.) denied that the republicans could be held responsible. They had not been in the majority, and were not now in the majority. Whether they would be before the session closed remained to be seen.

Senator Hale said the vote in the senate and the proceedings subsequent had demonstrated that neither party was in power, and that it had been shown that it would be impossible for the republicans to accomplish anything without the aid of any one of the other parties.

Mr. Cockrell called attention to the fact that of the eleven committees nominally left in possession of the minority, but one had a democratic majority. He also introduced a joint resolution for an adjournment until Tuesday, and at 4:50 the senate adjourned.

### THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

**Senator Lodge Talks of Our Dispute with Great Britain.**

Washington, Dec. 31.—Senator Lodge addressed the senate yesterday on the Monroe doctrine. He gave a very interesting history of the doctrine, and told how it was vitally involved in the Venezuelan boundary line controversy.

He followed this with a brief relation of the pending dispute between Great Britain and Venezuela, which, he said, had now reached a crisis affecting most gravely the honor, the interests, the rights and the well-settled policy of the United States. If England, with no authority but a disputed claim, seized territory and declined arbitration upon it her action, he declared, did not differ from seizing and holding new territory in the Americas by right of conquest. If she could seize territory under a claim, which had grown larger with each succeeding year, there was nothing to prevent her taking indefinite regions in South America.

The senator closed by expressing the belief that the question between England and the United States would be peaceably settled, but it was very clear that such settlement could only be reached by action on the part of congress and the president, which should be as firm as it was temperate, and which should maintain the Monroe doctrine absolutely and at all hazards wherever it justly applied.

### FREE COINAGE BILL.

**Senator Jones of Arkansas Makes It an Amendment.**

Washington, Dec. 31.—Senator Jones of Arkansas on Monday presented an amendment which he proposes to offer to the house bond bill. It provides that the holder of silver bullion who is a citizen of the United States may tender the same to the secretary of the treasury and have it coined into silver dollars, the seigniorage to be the difference between the coinage value and the market price of the bullion in New York; for the cancellation of all bank notes of less than \$10; directing the secretary of the treasury to coin the silver bullion in the treasury into silver dollars, to be used in redeeming the treasury notes issued for the purpose of purchasing silver bullion under the Sherman act; and for the redemption of the greenbacks in either gold or silver, and for their reissue according to the provisions of the act of 1878.

### Commerce and Nicaragua.

Washington, Dec. 31.—A bill introduced in the senate by Senator Chandler has for its purpose the enlargement of the interstate commerce commission. The bill provides that the commission shall be composed of one member from each state and that the commission shall meet quarterly. The details of the work of the commission are to be left to a committee of five, which shall be in constant session. Senator Perkins introduced a Nicaragua Canal bill in the senate. It provides that the capital stock shall consist of 1,000,000 shares of \$100 each, and is on the lines of the Burmah house bill.

### Would Prohibit Bond Issues.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Mr. Allen, at the request of Senator Thurston, introduced a bill prohibiting the issuance of bonds by the United States unless congress shall by resolution declare the necessity for them.

### Justice Brewer Appointed.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Justice Brewer, of the United States Supreme court, has been tendered and has accepted a place on the Venezuelan commission.

### MANITOBA SCHOOL WRANGLE.

**Statement Made That Premier Greenway Has Compromised.**

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 31.—The Manitoba general election, with the parochial school controversy as the chief issue, is now at its height. The strength of the Greenway government lies in the declaration that any attempt on the part of the dominion government to restore Roman Catholic schools will be resisted to the bitter end at any cost. This strength, however, is now being undermined by the statement that Premier Greenway has made a compact with Wilfred Laurier, leader of the liberals in the dominion, that, should Laurier succeed in ousting the government of Sir Mackenzie Bowell, he (Greenway) will make such a compromise on the school question as will help the liberals, to which party he belongs, out of all responsibility in the action, and which will safely entrench them in power.

### IS STILL AT LIBERTY.

**Slayer of Representative Taylor at Weldon, Ill., Has Not Been Arrested.**

Clinton, Ill., Dec. 31.—Postmaster John A. Pace of Weldon, who shot and killed Representative W. H. Taylor, has not been arrested and is not likely to be unless he is indicted by the grand jury, which does not meet till next March. The fact that Taylor entered the postoffice with a revolver prompts the belief that Pace was justified in shooting him.

No two men can agree about which shot killed the doctor, and many are dissatisfied with the verdict of the coroner's jury. In Weldon the sympathies of a large part of the people are with Pace, and many think this element influenced the verdict of justifiable homicide.

### Iowa College President Hurt.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 31.—William M. Brooks, president of Tabor college, and his 16-year-old son Edwin were thrown from their buggy and severely hurt. Each had his right arm broken near the shoulder. President Brooks was bound for the state teachers' association. Both are resting easy.

## COLLISION FATAL FOR TWO PEOPLE

**WRECK ON BALTIMORE & OHIO SOUTHWESTERN.**

**Thirteen Are Injured—Passenger Trains Come Together with Awful Force—Physicians Hurried to the Scene at Once—The List of Killed and Injured—A Scene of Horror.**

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 31.—Two passenger trains collided at 7:30 last night on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern near Coal City, fourteen miles from Cincinnati. They were the Louisville express, which left this city at 7:05 p. m., and the St. Louis accommodation, due there at 7:05 p. m. The latter was an hour late.

The first known of the collision here was when the wrecking train was sent out, about 8 o'clock, accompanied by physicians, railway officials, and others. The wildest rumors of the loss of life were soon circulated. The hospitals were put in readiness and police headquarters were promptly equipped for the care of the injured. The deal are: FIREMAN WILSON of the Louisville express.

UNKNOWN MAN, buried under the wreck.

The injured are: Fireman Hiram Bruning, of the St. Louis train; cuts on leg, skull, and shoulder; dangerously hurt.

Jacob Bauer, of the big copper shop in Lawrenceburg, Ind.; hip dislocated; leg, arm and head cut and bruised.

Alonzo Pruett, engineer of the Louisville express; internal injuries; left arm badly cut and gashed.

James Gabriel, engineer St. Louis train, back and side injured; he was taken to his brother's home in Cleves, Ohio.

Fred Binekamp of Aurora, a passenger; severe scalp wounds.

T. M. Voigt, Cincinnati; express messenger on St. Louis train; internal injuries, besides bad cuts and bruises; he was left at Coal City.

Messenger George Weisberger, Louisville, of the United States Express; slightly injured.

Thomas Gibson of Minneapolis.

James Wachtel of Aurora, Ind.

Fred Deinkensel of Cochran, Ind.

Dr. Higgins of North Carolina, en route to Louisville.

Mr. Howarth.

Of the injured all are seriously hurt except Binekamp and Weisberger. It is feared that Bruning, Bauer and Pruett are fatally hurt.

The cause of the accident was the failure of the operator at Soor's Station, within the city limits, to report to the Louisville train an order to wait at Delhi and let the St. Louis train pass it there. The trains, when they sighted each other, a mile this side of Coal City, were going at full speed, and had but little time to slow up before the collision. The road is comparatively straight at this point, otherwise the casualty would have been terrific.

The Louisville express was heavily loaded, and there were many passengers to be transferred. The passengers of both trains were transferred. The blockade was opened at once. General Superintendent Rawn was up here all night, and the division superintendents and others were on the scene doing everything in their power for the relief of the injured.

Both engines were totally wrecked, as the engineers had very little time to check their speed. The combination car of the Louisville express and the express car on the train from St. Louis were telescoped.

Coal City is a coaling station on the road, and has no telephone. When the engines came together they knocked out a telegraph pole, cutting off all telegraphic communication. It required some time for the railroad officials to get telegraphic communication with this city, and then the wire and the operator at Coal City were kept busy with orders. The Big Four tracks parallel those of the Southwestern at Coal City, and their tracks were not obstructed.

Passengers arriving on the Knickerbocker express after 9 o'clock say their train shot by Coal City at great speed, and they only had a passing view, but there was a horrible spectacle of wreckage.

Syndicate Forming in Berlin and London.

London, Dec. 31.—A syndicate is being formed in Berlin and London to take up the proposed United States bonds. The amount is \$200,000,000. The principal negotiations will proceed in Berlin for 4 per cent bonds issued at about par. The London firms taking part in the syndicate include the prominent American bankers here. It is doubtful whether a public issue will be made by the syndicate, all depending upon the view which President Cleveland may take about the issue price.

### Russia and France with Us.

Vienna, Dec. 31.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Freie Presse telegraphs that Russia and France have actually promised diplomatic support to the United States in the Venezuelan trouble, and that Russia is prepared to facilitate the United States loan with her own gold reserve.

### Punished for Looting German Mission.

Berlin, Dec. 31.—A dispatch received here from Swatow, Province of Quanghai, China, says that the ringleaders of the mob which plundered the German mission at Moulin have been beheaded.

## A SPANISH VICTORY IS NOW REPORTED

**RUMOR THAT CUBANS HAVE LOST A BATTLE.**

**Fierce Fighting in Which the Revolutionists Are Forced to Retreat—Spanish Loss Is Slight—Queen Regent Congratulates Havana Citizens.**

Havana, Dec. 31.—Lieut.-Col. Perera, commanding the Navarro battalion, numbering about 850 men, was engaged with insurgents near Calimel, not far from Jaquey Grande, Sunday. The fighting is said to have been very fierce, and the Spaniards are reported to have sustained the fire of vastly superior numbers of insurgents commanded by Gomez. The troops are reported to have captured the insurgent positions and to have obliged the enemy to divide his forces. The insurgents are said to have lost heavily, while on the government side only one officer and fifteen soldiers were killed and sixty wounded.

About an hour after this engagement the sound of cannonading was heard in the direction of the Maria plantation, about three miles from Calimel, and it is supposed Gomez has been engaged with the Spanish column commanded by Col. Molina.

It is believed that serious fighting has taken place. The telegraph lines connecting with Guaremas and Macuriges (Corrales), in the district where Gomez is supposed to be and where fighting is reported to have taken place, are interrupted.

Gen. Aldaceo is at Colon, Gen. Navarro is at Maniquillo, and Gen. Valdez is at the Boro plantation.

The queen regent of Spain, through the prime minister, Senor Canovas del Castillo, has cabled her profound thanks to the mayor of Havana for the splendid manifestation of sympathy with the Spanish cause which was displayed by citizens of all classes here on Saturday last. Her majesty said that she thought the meeting was a certain augury of peace with honor, as all loyal citizens were perpetually united in hoping for the national well-being. In conclusion the queen regent warmly congratulated the mayor and citizens of Havana upon their loyalty.

### Sue for Insurance Premiums.

Carlyle, Ill., Dec. 31.—A suit has been filed against the estate of Rufus N. Ramsay, late state treasurer of Illinois, by William H. Nichols and his daughter, Mrs. Louella Irwin. They had \$1,121 deposited in the defunct Ramsay bank. The suit is instituted to recover the life insurance premiums paid by Ramsay from 1889 to 1894. The complainants allege that the Ramsay bank was insolvent between the above dates, and that the funds used to pay policy premiums legally belonged to the bank's creditors. A demand is made that the amounts thus paid for insurance be inventoried as assets of the estate.

### American Locomotives for Russia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 31.—The British steamer Turret Bay sailed from Port Richmond yesterday with a cargo of twenty oil-burning locomotives built by the Baldwin locomotive works for the Russian government. The engines weigh ninety-seven tons each and are built with special fire-boxes for burning petroleum instead of coal. Another cargo of the same number of engines will be shipped in January. The steamer Turret Bay will sail direct to Gibraltar and thence through the Mediterranean and Black Sea to the Russian port of Novosibirsk.

### Dashed Over an Embankment.

Perry, Ok., Dec. 31.—A party of nine were plunged over an embankment near here Sunday night, while returning from a dance. The injured: Clay Barard, John Barnett, Charles Craft, Arthur Harris, Edna Scence, Grace Scence, Millie Scence, Dr. Stillwater, unknown young woman. The carriage in which they were riding toppled over a high bluff and all of the party were seriously hurt. It is believed, however, that none of them will die.

### Big Fire at Newark, N. J.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 31.—Fire broke out last night in the Kinney building. The building was occupied by the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, and the Erie railroad companies, New York & Greenwood Lake railroad company, Hayworth, Eagle & Clark, clothiers; Charles Charles, cafe. The structure was almost ruined and much of the contents have been destroyed.

### Scandal at Washington Promised.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The introduction in the senate by Senator Chandler of a resolution calling for an investigation of naval contracts is said by many to indicate that another government scandal is imminent. There are rumors that it will be the largest since the irregularities with the Belknap regime in the war department were made public.

### Indians Have Not Leased Lands.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The report that Iowa Indians have leased 15,000 acres of land from the Kaw tribe, intending to live off the rental of their allotted lands to whites, is disputed by Indian officials. Indians can abandon their allotments and move onto reservation land only by authority of an act of Congress.

## DENOUNCE THE MOB.

**Kentucky Citizens Condemn Saturday Night's Barbarous Work.**

Lebanon, Ky., Dec. 31.—Fully 1,000 people assembled at the courthouse here yesterday to take action on the burning to death of Mrs. J. T. West and the killing of W. A. Deveres by five men near this place Saturday night. The speeches were all vigorous in denunciation of the disgrace on Marion county and the state. Very strong resolutions condemning the outrageous deed and the violence of the mob were adopted unanimously. A fund was raised to employ detectives to ferret out the perpetrators of the crime. The county commissioners join the people in offering a reward for the detection and conviction of the guilty parties.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 31.—Governor Bradley feels that the law has been greatly outraged and the state disgraced by the brutal murder of William Deveres and Mrs. West near Lebanon Saturday. He will offer a reward of \$500, the limit of the law, for the arrest and conviction of the murderers.

### Railroads Will Stick to Their Plans.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 31.—President Caldwell of the Lake Shore road is not surprised over the action of Attorney-General Harmon in demanding that proceedings be instituted at once to prevent the promulgation of the so-called railroad rate trust, the Joint Traffic Association. Mr. Caldwell said: "The plan of the inter-state commission will not likely deter the presidents from carrying out their first intentions of putting the new agreement into effect Jan. 1. Of course an injunction might prevent."

### Heavy Snowstorm in Southern Illinois.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 31.—Dispatches from southern Illinois mention the heaviest snowstorm for several years in that section. At Shelbyville ten inches of snow has fallen since midnight Saturday. At Odin there is from six to eight inches on the ground, and at Lebanon, Ind., two feet has fallen, blocking railroads and impeding all kinds of traffic. The storm has also prevailed in some parts of Missouri, about four inches of snow fell here Sunday night, but the weather now is clear and cold.

### Bank Cashier a Defaulter.

Brookfield, Mass., Dec. 31.—Hiram P. Gerold, cashier of the Brookfield Savings bank, has disappeared. It is believed he is a defaulter to the amount of between \$10,000 and \$15,000, and his disappearance strengthens this belief. Attachments were placed upon his property in Brookfield and a deputy sheriff went to Springfield, and he laid an attachment of \$20,000 on Gerold's property in Hampden county.

### Settled Ohio Mining Rates.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 31.—The mine operators have agreed to pay the miners in cash twice a month, but also decided to keep the company stores open for those who wished to draw their pay in merchandise. The miners finally agreed to this proposition. This acceptance will be ratified by the convention and the contract signed. This settles the mining rates in the state for the year 1896.

### Visible Supply of Grain.

New York, Dec. 31.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, Dec. 28, as compiled by the New York produce exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 69,958,000 bushels, increase 560,000 bushels; corn, 5,817,000 bushels, increase 28,000; oats, 6,468,000 bushels, increase 60,000 bushels; rye, 1,553,000 bushels, decrease 3,000 bushels; barley, 3,762,000 bushels, decrease 442,000 bushels.

### Funeral of Dr. Taylor.

Weldon, Ill., Dec. 31.—The funeral of the late Representative, Dr. W. H. Taylor, will be held at Clinton Wednesday, at 11 o'clock a. m. The funeral will be conducted by the Modern Woodmen. Speaker Cochran of the House of Representatives has requested Representatives White, Hubbard, Marria, Shannahan, Boyd, Hammers, Ownby, Bieres, and Barrickton to attend the funeral.

### Iowa Teachers in Session.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 31.—The annual meeting of the Iowa State Teachers' association opens a three days' session in this city to-day. It is the largest convention of the year, bringing more delegates than a state convention of one of the great political parties. At least 1,500 teachers will attend.

### Held to the Grand Jury.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 31.—Charles H. Stuckey, the defaulting cashier of the wrecked state bank, was yesterday held to the grand jury by the police court judge and the District court will have to fix the bail. The prisoner's attorney at the last minute decided to put in no evidence.

### Duchess of Marlborough Ill.

New York, Dec. 31.—A dispatch to the World from London says: "The young duchess of Marlborough is very ill in Rome with typhoid fever. A private letter received from there announces the fever was contracted while she was in Spain."

### Turkish Troops in Bad Condition.

Constantinople, Dec. 31.—There are fifty or sixty deaths daily among the troops around Zeitoun. The cold is intense and the condition of the army everywhere outside the capital is in the last degree deplorable, the clothing being in rags and the food poor.

## A BELOIT DWELLING GOES UP IN SMOKE

**S. PRATT'S RESIDENCE DESTROYED THIS MORNING.**

**The Loss Will Be About One Thousand Dollars—Madison Journal, Is an Editorial, Says John C. Spooner Is in Favor of a Special Session of the Legislature.**

Beloit, Wis., Dec. 31.—[Special].—Fire destroyed the residence of S. Pratt this morning, causing a loss of one thousand dollars.

**Wants Reapportionment.**

Madison, Wis., Dec. 31.—The Wisconsin State Journal in an editorial says that ex-Senator John C. Spooner is in favor of a special session of the legislature to reapportion the state into senate and assembly districts under the census of 1895. It has been commonly supposed that he was opposed to an extra session.

### SOUTH AFRICAN CRISIS.

**Men Are Arming and Women and Children Leaving Johannesburg.**

Johannesburg, South African Republic, Dec. 31.—The political crisis here, brought about by the efforts of the foreign population to obtain equal political rights with the Boers, has reached a most acute stage. The exodus of women and children is increasing. All trains leaving this place are crowded and the price of breadstuffs has risen greatly. All kinds of bellicose rumors are current and the government has notified the burghers to be ready for active service in case of an emergency. The Mercantile association has formed itself into a town bodyguard for the purpose of preserving order and protecting life and property. It will not take part in a revolution or a riot of any kind and has asked the government to supply it with arms and ammunition. Several of the leading mines are expected to close.

### IMMIGRATION REPORT.

**People Better in Character and Have More Money.**

New York, Dec. 31.—Deputy Commissioner of Immigration McSweeney estimates that about 62,000 more immigrants arrived at Ellis island the past year than in 1894.

Estimating 14,000 for this month, the total for 1895 is 229,607, and the increase over last year 61,944. For 1894 the arrivals at the immigrant station were 167,663, and for 1893 they were 152,944.

Deputy Commissioner McSweeney says the character of the immigrants is much better than in previous years. This improvement in quality is due to the rigid enforcement of the immigration laws, he says.

The immigrants of last year brought \$4,000,000 with them. The immigrants of this year have brought a much larger sum.

### NOT THE MIOWERA.

**Steamship Reported Off Cape Flattery Was Not the Australian Vessel.**

Port Townsend, Wash., Dec. 31.—The third outward-bound steamship off Cape Flattery, which is supposed to be the Miowera and was reported back by the captains of two sailing vessels at Seattle as being sighted last Monday, could not have been the missing Australian steamer. According to the log of the Strathnevis, the Miowera's hawsers parted late Monday night and it was midnight when the rescuing steamer's lights disappeared in the squall. The sailing vessels passed in by Cape Flattery early next morning and therefore had no opportunity of seeing the steamship on Monday, the 23d, as reported.

### Britain and Spain Insulted.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 31.—Great excitement has been caused here by a report that the Spanish minister has been escorted out of Bogota, the capital of Colombia. According to this report, which is devoid of details, the extraordinary act was due to the minister's denunciation of the treatment which the British minister to the same republic is alleged to have suffered. The diplomatic representative of Great Britain, it is said, was summarily expelled, but for what reason is not known.

### Many Cattle Drowned.

Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 31.—C. Hayden, who has immense pastures along Grand River, reports having had over 400 head of cattle drowned by the floods of the past week, and says fully 1,000 head or more perished in the Osage reservation.

### Monitor to Be in Readiness.

Boston, Dec. 31.—Officials at the Charlestown navy yard yesterday afternoon received a dispatch from Washington ordering the commandant to place the monitor Passaic in condition for immediate service.

### About Tramp.

A tramp called at a house and with tears in his eyes asked the lady if she could let him have a dollar, and of course she refused him. He at once began to wring his hands and moan, "Oh dear, oh dear, I shall have to do it." Fearing he premeditated suicide or something of the kind, she at last gave him the dollar, asking him at the same time what it was he would have to do if he did not get the dollar. "Oh, we'll, work!" was his smiling reply.



## WATER IN THE MILK CUTS DOWN PRICES

### MANY FARMERS MEDDLE WITH THEIR CANS.

R. R. Carlson, the Well Known Factory Man, Says Their Is Trouble From the Failure of Patrons To Be Careful Enough About What Becomes of "Rinsings."

Some plain truths for dairy farmers in Footville, Spring Valley, Porter and Center are told by R. R. Carlson, the proprietor of several Rock county creameries. Mr. Carlson wants to see dairymen put on a higher plane in Rock county. He says:

"A few facts concerning the price of milk, the oil test, the butter yield, etc., may be of interest. The farmers were paid as follows at the various creameries:

"Footville had sixty patrons delivering 92,300 pounds of milk that made 4,428 pounds of butter and netted the farmers \$815. It was divided according to test as follows:

Lbs. Per Cwt	Patrons	Test
32 to 33	25	with oil test from
33 to 34	34	patrons with oil test from
34 to 35	4	patrons with a yield less than
35 to 36	30	patrons with a butter yield from
36 to 37	27	patrons with a butter yield from
37 to 38	4	Average oil test of factory
38 to 39	4.8	Average price .88 per hundred weight of milk
39 to 40	4.6	Lowest price of milk per hundred weight 67
40 to 41	4.5	Highest price of milk \$1.05

Spring Valley Corners creamery had twenty-three patrons in the month of November.

Lbs. Per Cwt	Patrons	Test
32 to 33	2	patrons with oil test
33 to 34	17	patrons with oil test from
34 to 35	4	patrons with oil test from
35 to 36	12	patrons with butter yield from
36 to 37	12	patrons with butter yield from
37 to 38	4	Average oil test of factory
38 to 39	4.4	Average price of milk 76 cents per hundred weight
39 to 40	3.1	Highest price of milk per hundred weight
40 to 41	3.1	Average price of milk 92 1/2 cents per hundred weight

Porter creamery station had thirty-four patrons, this statement being for the last half of the month of November:

Lbs. Per Cwt	Patrons	Test
32 to 33	12	patrons had oil test from
33 to 34	20	patrons had oil test from
34 to 35	1	patron had oil test of
35 to 36	2	patrons had oil test of
36 to 37	36	patrons had a butter yield from
37 to 38	14	patrons had a butter yield from
38 to 39	1	patron had a butter yield of
39 to 40	1	patron had a butter yield of
40 to 41	4.2	Average oil test
41 to 42	4.7	Average butter yield
42 to 43	4.9	Lowest price per cwt. for milk, 74 cents
43 to 44	4.8	Highest price per cwt. for milk, \$1.48
44 to 45	4.8	Average price of milk 88 cents per cwt.

Center creamery had thirty patrons, this statement being for the last half of the month of November:

Lbs. Per Cwt	Patrons	Test
32 to 33	1	patron with oil test of
33 to 34	23	patrons with oil test from
34 to 35	6	patrons with oil test from
35 to 36	12	patrons had a butter yield from
36 to 37	17	patrons had a butter yield from
37 to 38	1	patron had a butter yield of
38 to 39	1	patron had a butter yield of
39 to 40	4.1	Average oil test
40 to 41	4.1	Lowest price per milk, 64 cents per cwt.
41 to 42	4.1	Highest price for milk, \$1.10 per cwt.
42 to 43	4.1	Average price of milk, .799 ct.

It behooves the patrons of Center creamery, in order to hold the confidence of the neighboring creameries, to use less cream in coffee, and be careful how they rinse out their milk utensils with water throwing the rinsings in with the milk carried to the factory as the lactometer is not a respecter of persons and is one of the instruments used by the state in determining what has been added to or taken from the milk.

It will be seen that out of 147 patrons in the factories fifty five had a yield of five pounds of butter and over to the cwt. of milk. Seventy five had a yield of more than four pounds and only seventeen had milk that would not make four pounds of butter to the cwt. It will be remembered that November is the best month of the year for a large butter yield. While the average milk in the summer will not make within one fourth to one third as much butter as it will at this time of year to the hundred.

I have given these facts in detail with the hope that more of the dairy farmers will read and investigate and seek information. My observation has been that those of my patrons that took and read good literature gave me no trouble in any form as they were posted on what to expect from their cows or the factory. They keep track of the markets while the farmer who does not keep posted is always suspicious and dissatisfied because he does not know what to look for or expect from his cows or the factory. If he does not hear of some one getting more for milk than he did, he generally is satisfied.

I find that by using the lactometer that a very small per centage of the milk brought to the factory has not been meddled with, and the deeper

they dip for cream to put in coffee the surer farmers are to find fault with the returns for their milk.

A great deal of this "taking a little cream for coffee and cake" which affects the tests so materially, especially on small lots of milk could be stopped to quite an extent if the factory man understood his business. My opinion is that many would-be factory men might better tamp gravel around ties. The farmer soon finds them out. My advice, after eighteen years of labor in a factory, handling milk, is to send farmer boys to the dairy school. Some of them will turn out to be good factory men and improve the factory systems and will teach their fathers to bring straight milk to the factory.

R. R. CARLSON.

### INDIAN FORD NEWS AND NOTES.

School Scholars Answer Questions As to What They Should Learn.

Indian Ford, Dec. 31.—Mrs. Brown, the teacher, asked her pupils what, besides knowledge of books, should be learned in the school room. Frank Branks, aged seventeen won the prize, his answer being "a pupil should learn to obey the rules of the school and the teacher, and to be a gentleman or a lady." Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Miller near Newville. E. L. Ward ate Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scofield. Mrs. I. Alverson and daughter Olla and son Stewart visited in Janesville last Saturday. John Scarelliff and family ate Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. William Scarelliff of Edgerton. Frank Brown was seen on our streets last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown ate Christmas dinner with Mr. Brown's parents in Center.

E. L. Wase of this village, and Frank Cheasbro of Porter, started for Austin, Minnesota, last Thursday on a pleasure and business trip. The Christmas tree was well attended despite the inclemency of the weather. Mrs. P. Connors of Edgerton, was a welcome caller on Mrs. Charles Hallet last Thursday. Quite a number of invited guests and relatives helped Mr. and Mrs. Gage Lackner eat Christmas turkey. Mrs. P. Frances of Austin, Iowa, was a visitor at P. Alverson's last Friday. Mrs. Frances is a sister of Mrs. Alverson's. They have not seen each other for seventeen years. Miss Maud Collins of Janesville, spent a few days last week, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Hallet. Miss Olla Alverson came up from Janesville to spend Christmas and the rest of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Alverson. Miss May Johnson of Evansville, spent Christmas with her aunt, Mrs. S. Walrath.

THE WEEK'S NEWS AT SHOPIERE

Jolly Time at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Case.

Shopiere, Dec. 3.—Friends and relatives of Henry Case and wife numbering about seventy five gathered at their home on Thursday evening Dec. 26, that being their twentieth anniversary. A set of dishes was given them by the party. After playing a number of games of cinch a toothsome luncheon was served. Mr. Case and wife were somewhat surprised. Lafayette Allen and wife from Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo, A. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. McEvoy from Beloit were callers on Sunday at the same place. Mrs. Arnold of Sharon visited her sister Mrs. Frank Culver the past week. Rev. Mr. Porter from the First M. E. church of Janesville called on Brother Manion on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Bonkey of Iowa are spending the holidays with Charles Rice and other relatives. Simpson Kemmerer and wife of Janesville spent a few days the past week with C. W. Kemmerer and others. C. W. Shimeall, treasurer of the town of Turtle, paid the state their claim on this town on Monday last. The young people enjoyed the time skating the past few days. Bert Stewart met with an accident while skating, he losing his teeth by a fall. Miss Kate Shimeall, of Chicago, is spending a few days in this place. A. D. Parker, from Chicago, was home with his family the past week. Judging from the number of teams seen at the mill every day, farmers must be getting a good many bushels of grain ground. Fred Rice is head miller. Miss Jessie Crotzenberg is visiting her parents for a few days. She came out from Chicago on Saturday. Frank Swingle came home from Whitewater on Saturday, where he is attending school. He will return after the holidays.

THE WEEK'S NEWS AT CLINTON

Leech & Scoville Company at the Opera House—Other Guests.

Clinton, Dec. 31.—Manager C. E. Jones has secured the Leech & Scoville Comedy Company and will be at the Wyman opera hall every evening this week. The funny comedy entitled "Tangled Up" was produced on Monday evening last, to a well filled house. The company consists of Anderson and Scooby, "the musical team," Nep Scoville, the comedian, Miss Catherine Evans, the character woman and Miss Ita Leech, formerly of Janesville, the leading lady. The company comes here from Beloit, where they played to crowded houses last week. Tickets now on sale at Woodward's drug store. Miss Ellen Edwards left on Monday last for Wausau, Wis. Frank Mosher of Lyons, attended services at the Baptist church on Sunday evening last. Dr. Metcalf of Janesville, spoke to a large crowd at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Tuesday evening last. R. W. Cheever transacted business in Chicago on Monday last. Manager C. E. Jones, of the Wyman opera house, has secured a first-class show troupe and they should be well patronized. They will give a big mat-

inee Saturday afternoon. P. E. Longley and family of Oakshoeb, called on friends here the past few days. Constable Bradley took three traps to the hotel Appleby at Janesville on Saturday evening last. Miss Carrie Stubbett is entertaining a lady friend from Maple Park, Ill. Mrs. Bliss of Sharon, called on friends here the past few days. Mr. Helmer transacted business in Janesville on Monday last. T. P. Burns of Janesville, was seen on our streets on last Saturday.

### CHRISTMAS TREE AT CENTER.

Entertainment Was Largely Attended—Personal News Notes.

Center, Dec. 31.—The people of this place held their Christmas entertainment at the Disciple church. The tree was decorated with fruit, fancy sacks of candy, pop corn and all sorts of presents for the children. An excellent programme of songs and recitations was rendered by the pupils of District No. 1, which reflects much credit to their teacher, Charles Hemmingsway. There was a large attendance, and all enjoyed the music pieces and fun of distributing their presents. Louis Schroder was called to Milwaukee on Christmas day to attend the funeral of his brother. Bruce Dean who has been spending his vacation at home returned to school at Rockford on Monday. Rev. Spencer and family were presented with a fine turkey on Christmas. Mrs. Emma Fisher had the misfortune to lose her carriage horse on Friday, the animal broke its leg and had to be shot. Charles Whitmore will go to Madison the first of the week to attend the agricultural school. Mrs. Rose Rettig and Mrs. Lucy Kelts are spending a few days with friends in Milwaukee. Chas. Rosa formerly of this place but now of Beloit attended services here on Sunday. Services at the Disciple church every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school after services. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schroder of Iowa are visiting relatives of this place. Mr. Sam Dean who had the misfortune to cut his foot a few days ago is rapidly improving. Schools in Districts No. 1 and 2 will begin school on Monday next after a two weeks vacation. Mrs. Emma Fisher who has been ill for some time is rapidly recovering under the treatment of Dr. Loomis of Janesville.

### STRAW LAWSUIT AT MILTON.

Action Ended With a Verdict For the Plaintiff—Other Events.

Milton, Dec. 31.—The lawsuit of Nuff-McQuillan vs. J. E. Richmond to recover the value of a load of straw, was on trial before Justice E. P. Clarke Monday. E. Goodrich appearing for the plaintiff and F. M. Dyer for the defendant. The jury composed of Messrs. B. F. Ballard, J. M. Miller, J. E. Wheeler and W. H. McNitt, after hearing the evidence and eloquence rendered a verdict for the plaintiff. President Whitford, Principal Clark and Professor Maxson were Milton's representatives at the Milwaukee meeting of the teachers' association. Rev. Webster Miller of Waukesha, visited his relatives in this village Friday. Professor Whitford, F. E. Whitford and Miss Mame Whitford attended the Van Horn-Curtis wedding in Chicago Tuesday. Miss Grace Miller, of Janesville, visited Milton friends last week. O. D. Crumb is digging a well for E. D. Bliss. Thomas Edden was a visitor in Milton Monday. Vincent & Haseenger shipped a carload of hogs, and Day Bros. shipped a carload of hay from this station last week. Prof. H. W. Rood and wife of Washburn, have been making their children a visit. Fred Glenn shook hands with Milton acquaintances last week. George Davy visited his brother at Geneseo recently. J. O. Bartholf of Janesville was a Milton visitor Monday. H. E. Holmes and wife Clinton, are the guests of their relatives in this village.

### Johnstown Center News

Johnstown Center, Dec. 31.—Butler Woodbury of Union, Ohio, formerly of Johnstown, has been here the past week renewing old acquaintances. Miss Inez Arnold of Janesville, has been the guest of Gertrude Rockwell since Christmas. Jacob Norcross of Montello, spent Christmas at Mr. McKillip's. Frank Walker has commenced work for Frank Gage over in Richmond having hired out for one year. J. D. Spiekerman is laid up with a dislocated wrist. It is said that R. T. Pember is not as well at present as he has been for the past few months. Miss Pearl Briggs returned home from Viroqua, where she has been attending school. With the exception of several family reunions it was the quietest Christmas that Johnstown has seen for a long time.

### LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

HOLIDAY goods at cost. Lowell's Annex.

AMARILLIS cream, delightful after shaving. Sold by all druggists.

Wood, wood, wood, any kind delivered to any part of the city. F. A. Taylor, Pleasant and River street.

FIFTY cents will be paid at the Gazette office for copies of the city map published by W. F. Curtis.

THE ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve a tempting supper in the church parlors New Year's eve.

WOOD in any quantity and sawed, split and delivered just as you want it. F. A. Taylor, Pleasant and River streets.

BEST patent flour is offered at the old I. H. Myers stand No. 7 South Main street for 80 cents a sack. This flour is warranted to be equal to any brand in the city. Lowest price ever known for flour in Janesville, quality considered. See ad on this page.

## CITY TO RECEIVE GAMBLING FINES

### COUNCIL PASSES A NEW ORDINANCE.

Hereafter All Penalties On This Charge Will Go Into the City Treasury Instead of to the State—Other Business Done By the Aldermen.

The common council last night decided that the city could just as well have the fines paid by gamblers, as to have the money go to the state. Alderman Winslow introduced the following ordinance, and on his motion it was read, the rules were suspended and the ordinance passed without a dissenting vote:

"An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance to prevent disorderly practices.'"

The mayor and the common council of the city of Janesville do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 1 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to prevent disorderly practices," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. No person shall keep for use within the limits of the city of Janesville any article or device used for gambling purposes and induce or permit any person to gamble, bet or play for gain with or by means of the same; nor shall any person gamble, bet or play for money or gain with or by means of any article or device used for gambling purposes."

Section 2. Section 5 of said ordinance it hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 5. No person shall disturb the peace or good order of the city by making any unnecessary noise or disturbance; nor shall any person conduct himself in any disorderly manner within the limits of said city."

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage and publication, which publication shall be for three successive days.

Police Appointments Confirmed.

All the aldermen were present except Aldermen Sutherland and Inman. The journal was read; the board of education reports ordered published; the appointments of Walter Houghton and John W. Hogan as special police were confirmed; a number of bills were ordered paid.

Alderman Kothman of the police committee said that he had talked with Officer Hogan and the latter would turn the fees he earned as constable over to the city if his salary was raised. The matter was referred to the police committee.

Alderman McLean of the fire and water committee said the fire department had difficulty in obtaining water for fires across the railroad tracks near the C. & N. W. depot; that the tracks were often blocked with cars; and the hose laid across the tracks was liable to be cut by the trains. He moved that the committee investigate the feasibility of laying a two block extension of the water main on North street to overcome the difficulty, which motion prevailed.

Mayor Baines said that he did not think it advisable to lay any more extensions until the city's suit against the water company was settled.

Alderman Smith, of the judiciary committee, moved that the clerk be

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Is the Foundation of the Wonderful Cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

That is Why the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla are CURES.

That is Why Hood's Sarsaparilla cures the severest cases of Scrofula, Salt Rheum and other blood diseases.

That is Why the sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla have increased year after year, until it now requires for its production the largest Laboratory in the world.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**

Is the only True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today. \$1; 6 for \$5.

Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 25c.

**Closing Out**

—AT—

**1-2 PRICE.**

S. D. GRUBB, Clothier and Shoe Dealer, Grubb Block, W. Milwaukee St., is closing out his large new stock at one-half price.

\$20 Suits and Ulsters, ..... \$10.00

\$15 Suits and Ulsters, ..... 7.50

\$10 Suits and Overcoats, ..... 5.00

\$5 Suits and Ulsters, ..... 2.50

\$6 Boys' Suits and Ulsters, ..... 3.00

\$3 Boys' Suits and Reefers, ..... 1.50

\$5 fine Wool Pants, ..... 2.50

\$3 fine Wool Pants, ..... 1.50

\$1 50 working Pants, ..... .75c

\$7 Mackintoshes, ..... 3.50

\$2 duck lined Coats, ..... 1.00

\$2 Cardigan knit Jackets, ..... 1.00

\$1 Cardigan knit Jackets, ..... .50c

\$1 wool Sweaters, ..... .50c

\$1 wool Over-shirts, ..... .50c

\$1 Boys' wool Waists, ..... .50c

\$2 stiff and soft Hats, ..... .98c

\$1 silk plush Caps, ..... .48c

\$1 fleeced Underwear, ..... .50c

50c fleeced Underwear, ..... .25c

\$1 white Dress Shirts, ..... .50c

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20c fine linen collars, ..... .10c

50c silk neckwear, ..... .25c

50c silk suspenders, ..... .25c

25c suspenders, ..... .12c

25c black and tan Sox, ..... .12c

15c black and tan Sox, ..... .8c

25c linen handkerchiefs, ..... .12c

10c linen handkerchiefs, ..... .05c

**J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.**  
THE BIG STORE  
20, 22, 24, 26  
S. MAIN ST.,  
JANESVILLE, WIS.  
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

Under Full Headway!

Our Big Sale.

Many people are waking up to the importance of the offerings we are making. Every woman in this city knows about the greatness of this store's DRESS GOODS showings. We have entered into this sale, not to make big claims, not to fool people, not to get them to the store and then have them disappointed by finding goods at the same old prices,—but to interest them with substantial bargains.

Here Are Three:

LOT 1—At this price 200 pieces of all-wool Serges, fancy wool styles, beiges, henriettas, &c. Type cannot convey to people's minds their worth. Women can tell by a two minutes' seeing that they are worth getting at such a price.

29c

LOT 2—The figure put on 125 pieces of 45 inch serges, henriettas, and novelty dress goods that quickly tell their value-story to the bargain-seeker. All are goods marked down from 50c, 60c, 75c, &c.

36c

LOT 3—The finest henriettas, serges, many handsome novelties such as pin checks, silk and wool effects, changeable, &c. go at this price. A few minutes on the spot will tell you that they are worth to 85c, \$1.00 to \$1.10.

64c

We have put each lot by itself so that customers can readily see just what is going on. In addition to the above named lots we have selected many other Dress Goods and put prices on them that will make them sell.

Winter Garments

Shawls : :

are going at ACTUAL COST, and we would advise interested ones not to put off coming too long, but take advantage of the many good things we offer while you can. FUR CAPES—An especially large stock, fine qualities, and ACTUAL COST PRICE.

Silks : :

are receiving much attention. We own the best stock in Southern Wisconsin and can interest you with our great values if you really want to buy.

This store is alive

with bargains.

**Call!**

I want to Sell you Groceries And sell them Awful cheap For Cash!

Best Granulated (not China) Sugar per lb. .... 5c  
Best Breakfast Java Coffee, per lb. .... 25c  
Best Soaps, all kinds. .... 4c  
Best Patent Flour, per sack. .... 90c  
Best Spearhead and Climax Plug. .... 40c  
Good Plug Tobacco. .... 20 and 25c  
Best Smoking Tobacco. .... 15c  
Best Oat Meal per lb. only. .... 2c  
All other Groceries at correspondingly low prices. I have the choicest line of NEW TEAS ever seen. With every pound of 40c or 50c tea I give an elegant Tea Cup and Saucer. Or one lb. of best Chocolates or Caramels, gratis. With every lb. of 25 or 30c Tea I give one lb. of fancy Mixed Candy, gratis. All teas sold by me can be tested at my Tea Counter. I invite all to call and take a cup of Tea any time, gratis, whether you buy or not.

Respectfully,

**W. T. VanKirk,**

(Regulator of Prices in Groceries.)

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ALL KINDS OF ARCHITECTURAL CABINET AND DECORATIVE GRILL WORK WOOD WORK.

4-N. RIVER ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.

**For Sale!**

My interest in the EAGLE CIGAR BOX & LABEL CO., established 1884; to an energetic and capable road man this will be found the chance of a life-time.

MY ELEGANT NEW HOME. Has more modern improvements than any residence in city. No fair offer will be refused.

THE BEST UNIMPROVED BUSINESS LOTS in Janesville, opposite Court House Park.

TWO HOUSES on corner Linn and North streets. Will pay ten per cent on the investment.

L. R. TREAT.

**Quaker Bread.**

Its Famous.



## THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## THE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(Continued From Page 2.)

Instructed to notify the Globe Light and Heat Company to discontinue the oil lamp service after today, as it was now moonlight, and Captain Norcross thought he could start the sixty additional lights by January 7. The motion was carried, after which orders were adopted as follows:

Alderman Heddies—Directing the clerk to draw an order on the general fund for \$19.56 in favor of the city treasurer for special assessment for grading and graveling Fifth avenue. Also an order for \$7.67 in favor of special assessment for grading Fourth avenue.

Alderman Winslow—Directing the street commissioner to build a plank walk across Wheeler street on the south side of Vista avenue, south. Also to draw an order payable from the Fifth avenue grading fund for \$500 in favor of Ryan & Brown, contractors.

Alderman Burnham asked what had been done about adjusting the cost of stone crushing, according to wards in which the work had been done. Alderman Hemming, of the highway committee, said no meeting of the committee had been held for that purpose. Mayor Baines requested that a report be made at the next meeting, and the council then adjourned.

## THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

A. O. H. dances.

Y. M. C. A. lecture.

DR. O'LEARY'S lecture.

SERVICES at St. John's church.

SUPPER at the Presbyterian church.

CHRISTMAS trees at St. Paul's church.

"SEEING the Old Year Out," parties.

WATCH night services at the M. E. churches.

JANESVILLE City Lodge No. 90, I. O. F.

FUNERAL of the year A. D., 1895, at midnight.

SPECIAL communication of Western Star Lodge No. 14, F. and A. M.

Meetings Tomorrow.

JANESVILLE Whist Club at 10 o'clock a. m.

N. O. W. club leap year party tomorrow evening.

Eight Bundles of Comfort.

We have left eight coats, and vests that are the double breasted Pea jacket kind, made of real wool chinchilla; but they are small sizes—34, 35 and 36, and will sell them at \$7 each. They sold all winter for \$10. Where can you save \$3 any quicker? The handy thing for business. Frank H. Baack.

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## HOLD WATCH MEETINGS TONIGHT

Methodist Congregations Will See the Old Year Out.

Watch night services will be held at both the M. E. churches tonight beginning at eight o'clock. At the Court street church there will be preaching by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Sabin Halsey at 8 o'clock on "The Old Year, the Present and the Future." The program at First M. E. church is as follows:

8 p. m.—Prayer and prayer service.

9 p. m.—Sermon by Rev. R. K. Manaton.

10 p. m.—Love feast with light refreshments, served by the Ladies' Aid Society free.

11 p. m.—Bible reading led by Presiding Elder F. A. Pease.

11:30 p. m.—Consecration meeting led by Presiding Elder Pease.

## FIRST ICE BOAT WAS WRECKED

F. F. Pierson and John Ehle Meet with an Accident.

Frank F. Pierson, the expert gunsmith, and John Ehle, built the first Janesville ice boat this season, and thereby hangs a tale. The first attempt to sail it, although not a great success, was by no means a complete failure. They started out near the railroad bridge, and by the time the craft reached the P. O. people's ice house it was going a mile a minute. All at once the runner went deep in the ice and the boat came to a sudden stop. Mr. Ehle was thrown headlong over Mr. Pierson but luckily they escaped with a few bruises while the broken boat will be patched up for another trial.

## THE BAPTIST CONCERT PROGRAM

Enjoyable Social to be Given by the Local Union

The social to be given by the local union of young people's societies tomorrow night at the parlors of the Baptist church promises to be one of the best ever given by the young people. Light refreshments will be served and the following program rendered:

Song—Y. M. C. A. Quartet

Recitation—Mrs. Dr. Dickens

Song—Baptist society

Recitation—Mrs. Landis

Song—Miss Margaret Jones

Song—Mr. and Mrs. Landis

Song—Miss Hilbrandt

Song—Y. M. C. A. Quartet

A Greeting.

To our friends and the trade we extend our heartiest good wishes and compliments of the season. We thank you for your assistance in completing our grand success the past season, and hope to continue our pleasant relations by, if it possible, showing better selections and lower prices consistent with quality than ever before. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

## The Lucky Man

Is the man that hasn't bought his winter overcoat yet, for the prices we are making on ulsters is a great saving to the late buyer and money saver. And we have also got some Kersey winter working pants left at \$1 and \$1.50 that are worth just fifty cents more. Frank Baack.

## Reduced Rates to Atlanta.

On account of the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., the Northwestern line is now selling excursion tickets at reduced rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents, Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

## Mr. Money Saver.

Now is your time to buy an overcoat or ulster. You need one, and they are down to the bottom in price but on top in quality. Clothing will never be as cheap again, as it is right now at Frank H. Baack's.

## Wool Shirting Flannels

For men going at half price and less, damaged by water only. Bort, Bailey & Co.

## Outing Flannels.

Just a little wet on the end of piece, now going at 4 1/2 cents a yard. Bort, Bailey & Co.

## BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

AMARYLLIS cream, all druggists.

YOUNG '96, Brown Bros. &amp; Lincoln.

CUTTER weather will come again soon. Better pick out a cutter for the next installment of the beautiful. F. A. Taylor.

REMEMBER the season is as yet not half over; so do not think you can wear those low shoes without arctics the balance of the season. Brown Bros. &amp; Lincoln.

BETTER than leather. Some people think paper is better than leather. It may be in greenbacks, but not in shoes. We sell leather shoes, not paper. Brown Bros. &amp; Lincoln.

DON'T competition keep us awake nights? Well, we guess not; we let the other fellows be restless; we sleep well nights, and are up in the morning ready for business. Brown Bros. &amp; Lincoln.

HAVE you seen our colt skin spring heel shoes for ladies, misses and children? without doubt they are the best wearing shoes we ever sold. Try a pair of them. A. Richardson Shoe Company.

You can well afford in the purchase of a cutter to take time. Our assortment at present is good. Wouldn't it be a splendid plan to select one now and have it ready for the next snow? F. A. Taylor.

## PRICES IN JANESVILLE MARKETS

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

Range of prices in the local market. Quotations corrected daily by Frank Gray:

Wheat—Fair to best quality 50¢ 55¢.

BUCKWHEAT—\$7.00 for 52 lb.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—\$2.00 per sack.

WHEAT—Dull at 35¢ 37¢ per 60 lb.

BARLEY—At 20¢ 22¢; according to quality.

BEANS—At 75¢ \$1.00 per bu.

CORN—Shelled per 80 lb 23¢ 24¢; ear 75 lbs, 22¢ 24¢.

OATS—White at 15¢ 16¢.

GROUND FEED—60 per 100 lbs. \$12 per ton.

MEAL—60 per 100 lbs. Baked \$1.00.

BEAN—55¢ per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton.

MIDDINGS—60 per 100, \$11 per ton.

HAY—Timothy per ton, \$8 \$10; other kinds 16 00 \$ 7 00.

STRAW—Per ton—\$4.50 \$5.00.

CLOVER SEED—\$3.50 \$4.00 per bushel.

TIMOTHY SEED—\$1.15 \$1.30.

POTATOES—new 15¢ 20 per bushel.

WOOL—Salable at 7¢ 15¢.

BUTTER—Fair supply at 19¢ 21¢.

EGGS—Good demand at 17¢ 18¢ doz.

HIDES—Green 5¢ 6¢. Dry 8¢ 9¢.

FELTS—Range at 20¢ 50 each.

POULTRY—Turkeys 70¢ chickens 60¢.

LIVE BROOK—Hens 12¢ 15¢ \$3.10 per 100 lb.

Cattle 2 00 \$ 3 50.

## Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Chicago board of trade today:

Articles. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—No. 2. Dec. 30. Dec. 28.

Dec. ... 56 1/2 % 55 1/2 % 56 1/2 % 55 1/2 %

Jan. ... 56 1/2 % 55 1/2 % 56 1/2 % 55 1/2 %

May ... 59 % 58 1/2 % 59 1/2 % 58 1/2 %

July ... 60 % 58 1/2 % 60 % 58 1/2 %

Corn—Dec. ... 25 1/2 % 24 1/2 % 25 1/2 % 24 1/2 %

Jan. ... 26 % 25 % 26 % 25 %

May ... 28 1/2 % 28 % 28 1/2 % 28 %

Oats—Dec. ... 17 % 16 % 17 % 16 %

Jan. ... 16 % 15 % 16 % 15 %

May ... 19 % 18 1/2 % 19 % 18 1/2 %

Pork—Dec. ... 7.85 7.60

Jan. ... 8.85 8.75 8.52 1/2 %

May ... 9.15 8.95 9.10 8.85 1/2 %

Lard—Dec. ... 5.27 1/2 % 5.17 1/2 %

Jan. ... 5.05 5.02 1/2 % 5.05 1/2 %

May ... 5.60 5.52 1/2 % 5.60 1/2 %

S. Ribs—Dec. ... 4.32 1/2 % 4.25

Jan. ... 4.35 4.30 4.32 1/2 % 4.25

May ... 4.60 4.55 4.60 4.60

## Do You

Intend to remember a friend with a New Year's gift? We have a few suitable presents left over from the Christmas trade, and are sure the price will please you as we are selling at cost. Palmer &amp; Ponesteel.

## An Enigmatical Bill of Fare.

For a dinner served on the dining cars of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will be sent to any address on receipt of a two cent postage at mp. Apply to George H. Hestford General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

## DYSPEPSIA THE CHIEF CAUSE OF CONSUMPTION

## FACTS WITH WHICH FEW ARE FAMILIAR

Dyspepsia or ordinary indigestion is seldom regarded as a dangerous disease, yet doctors now realize that any disturbance of the digestive function is but a stepping stone to the most dangerous and fatal of all diseases—dreaded consumption.

This appears very clear when we consider that consumption, as the name implies, is but a consuming of the body's substance. Weakness and emaciation naturally result.

The body of a person who does not properly digest food undergoes wasting, and you may safely assume that every pale, thin person of your acquaintance is not properly digesting and absorbing food. In other words, the substance of the body is being consumed and when the cough puts in an appearance they will be regarded as consumptives.

The symptoms of consumption and those arising from certain forms of indigestion are practically identical. Therefore don't despair even if you think your lungs may be affected. First try to repair your stomach and put it in order. This is best done by a very harmless though very ingenious remedy—the Shaker Digestive Cordial.

This product, prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, aids the digestion of food in the stomach, and when food is once digested, it is quickly absorbed.

If you are dyspeptic, don't wait until some more dangerous disease has appeared. Correct the trouble at once.

A single ten cent bottle of the Shaker Digestive Cordial will be sufficient to convince you of its merit, and its continued use is almost certain to effect a cure. All druggists keep it and can supply you with an interesting descriptive pamphlet.

## WANTED.

WANTED Place to work morning, evenings and Saturdays, for my board. Address "Student," Box 163 Janesville, P. O.

WANTED—By man and wife two furnished rooms with board, centrally located. State price and location. Address Box 1497.

WANTED Good girl for general housework at 153 Terrace street, Janesville, Wis.

WANTED Good girl for general housework Mrs. George S. Parker.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

MONEY TO LOAN—Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

HOUSE TO RENT—Inquire at 109 North Blue street.

POSITIONS—For pushing salesmen on salary, experience unnecessary, permanent employment; apply now. Lake Bros. Co., Surgeons, Chicago.

## Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rock County National Bank of Janesville, Wis., will be held at the office of said bank, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, from 10 o'clock a. m. to



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For news, call the editorial room—three rings.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1404—Jacques Cartier, first to sail up the St. Lawrence, born at St. Malo, France; died 1555.

1720—Charles Edward (Louis Philip Casimir), an English prince who claimed the throne of the Stuarts, born; died 1778. As "Prince Charlie" and the "Young Pretender" Charles Edward figures in history and in romance as a picturesque character. He was the grandson of James II, who abandoned the British throne. The blood inherited through his mother, Clementina Sobieska, caused the prince to become the hope of the Stuart party. While yet a youth he displayed great courage and talent and by the help of France and of British adherents at home and abroad he fitted out expeditions to recover his throne. The renowned Marshal Saxe offered him his sword. The first outfit was destroyed by a storm. In 1745 the prince landed in Scotland, and the Highlanders raised the standard of the Stuarts. Edinburgh was captured, and the British landed at all points. At Preston Pans the king's army was annihilated in five minutes, but at Culloden, owing to jealousy among the Highlanders, Prince Charlie was overwhelmed. He escaped to France by the aid of Flora MacDonald, married a princess, who was untrue to him, and passed 30 years in miserable exile.

1804—Susan Fenimore Cooper, second daughter of James Fenimore Cooper, and herself an author of note, died at Cooperstown.

## WHAT WATER IS WORTH.

Irrigation is a question of life or death in the arid lands beyond the Great Divide, but in these more favored parts, where the agriculturist has been accustomed to place reliance on the vivifying rain to water his crops, the importance of supplementing nature by artifice has not been sufficiently appreciated. The results of experiments made last summer and autumn at the Rutgers College farm, cannot fail to be of interest to farmers and market gardeners of our neighborhood. Crops of beans, peppers and celery raised side by side in truck patches of equal size yielded from twice to thrice the quantity in weight in the watered fields over the quantity of the crops grown in non-irrigated rows. Nor do these figures indicate the full difference of market value, for taking into consideration the actual selling price of the superior products of watered fields, the difference in the marketable value of the crops was found to be not far from eight to one in favor of irrigation.

Water is the most essential of plant foods; and the farmer who shall fail to convert that cheap fluid into luscious vegetable wherever the conversion is economically possible will clearly stand in his own light.

## THE RESTLESS DOLLARS.

There was one form of Christmas present not mentioned by the advertisers—hard cash. A great many persons were thus favored by fortune, and these are the ones who get to the front of the stores in the week between Christmas and New Year's day. Christmas dollars do not keep well. Most of them are already pluming their wings for an early flight, and they will flutter at last into the tills of the bright advertisers.

Bond-selling isn't a republican way of raising revenue. It isn't a way that has much to justify it except in time of war, and nothing but bad financeering would have made it necessary in this year of peace, harmony and good will toward all but Great Britain, the Turk and Dave Hill.

Mr. Crisp doesn't think it quite right for the house to do business so fast. There never was any such thing when he was speaker.

Cleveland isn't as popular in England as he was when the tariff bill passed. But he is liked a lot better in this country.

"There is plenty of revenue," democrats insist and they prove it by showing the empty treasury.

Great Britain's belief in arbitration will soon be strong enough to stand alone again.

Holmes' Lawyer Indicted.  
Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 31.—The grand jury yesterday indicted W. A. Shoemaker, counsel for H. H. Holmes, the convicted murderer, for attempted subornation of perjury. Mr. Shoemaker gave bail for trial. The alleged fraud developed when application was made for a second trial for Holmes.

Echo of the Baltimore Theater Disaster  
Baltimore, Md., Dec. 31.—The grand jury will be asked to investigate the disaster at the Front Street theater. It is learned that, in addition to the mutilations practiced on the women who were killed in the panic in order to obtain their jewels, the box office was robbed of the entire night's receipts.

Acquitted of Murder.  
Bardstown, Ky., Dec. 31.—J. W. Nally was found not guilty of the murder of School Teacher Frank Doherty. Doherty attempted to assault Mrs. Nally in her husband's absence and she killed him.

American Bonds for Germany.  
Frankfort-on-Main, Dec. 31.—An American loan of \$150,000,000 at 3 3/4 per cent is about to be negotiated here by the Morgans and the Deutsche bank group.

## DANGER AHEAD

A Simple Case of Piles. The Forerunner of Incurable, Fatal Rectal Diseases.

## A NEW PILE CURE

Which Cures Every Form of Piles Without Pain or Inconvenience.

The ordinary case of piles is one of the commonest afflictions of humanity. While they are extremely annoying, yet men and women will endure them for months and years, off and on, because they are not immediately fatal, and as long as they can get around and perform the daily duties of life they suffer on in the hope that in some way or other the trouble will pass away of its own accord, without any other treatment than a little salve or ointment occasionally. Now in the very nature of the disease this will never happen.

It is absolutely certain to grow worse passing away for a time and returning, until before you are aware of it, an ulcer has formed and the beginning of the much dreaded fistula has been made and then, what was at first a simple case of common, everyday piles becomes an even chance between life and death. A surgical operation, with all its attendant horrors, uncertainties and danger to life, becomes necessary.

Although the Pyramid Pile Cure is just as valuable in the advanced stages of rectal disease, yet the time to use it is at the beginning. A single package will then effect a complete cure in nearly every instance, in fact two or three applications often do the work. The Pyramid Pile Cure is well known to be a certain cure for Piles in every form, but we take pleasure in publishing the experiences of sufferers, especially when such commendation is entirely unsought by us. Mr. H. H. Hoffman, of Huntington, W. Va., writes:

I have used your Pyramid Pile Cure and consider it a perfect remedy for Piles. If you want an agent write me your terms and I can do some good work for you as everybody here knows how badly I suffered and they also know I am now entirely cured.

From Mrs. S. E. Deitzler, Union Deposit, Pa.: Please accept thanks for your Pyramid Pile cure. It has done me such great good in so short a time and at so little expense.

From Mrs. Nancy W. Shaw, La Crosse, Wis.: I am more than pleased with the benefit I have received from the Pyramid Pile Cure, I needed but one package. I shall write you again soon.

From R. Witherell, Shoreham, Vt.: The package of Pyramid Pile Cure I received last November has entirely cured me of itching piles. I have tried various remedies for over forty years. I shall always keep a package of this splendid remedy on hand. There are others I think would be glad to try it, when I can see them and tell them what it has done for me. Accept my heartfelt thanks.

Letters like these are daily received by the Pyramid Pile Co. of Albion, Mich., who manufacture this remedy. It is sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents and \$1.00, and every druggist has a good word to say for it as they know better than anyone else the satisfaction it always gives to their customers.

A pamphlet on cause and cure of piles sent free by addressing Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

## Every - Evening

From now on in 1895 we will be open to show you a few nice....

Holiday Presents  
For Gentlemen.

Silk, Cotton and Wool Mufflers; Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs (initials). Plush and Wool Caps; Lined and Unlined Gloves and Mittens in Undressed Kid.

Handsome Night Robes; Finest Underwear; Collars and Cuffs; Link Buttons, Pins and Studs and a beautiful line of

## NECKWEAR

DeJoinvilles, Ascots, Puffs, Tecks. Four-in-Hands Club House and Bows.



KNEFF &amp; ALLEN

## Fred Feltz,

"The Tailor,"

has in stock a choice selection of....

Imported and Domestic Woolens.

The latest novelties for the best trade at moderate prices. They will not be made like ready-made clothing without hair-cloth and pure lining.

SUITS made to order, \$14 to \$35. OVERCOATS, \$14 to \$30. PANTS, \$3.50 to \$10.

Good fit and the finest workmanship guaranteed.  
CALL AND SEE THE GOODS.

Fred Feltz,

21 Corn Exchange,

## A Shrewd Yankee . .

always wants to know the reason why. Do you ask us why we sell so many of our \$2.50 Ladies' Shoes? The Yankee always answers a question by asking another. Have you seen

## Our \$2.50 Special Ladies Shoes?

If you come and see you will buy. Our \$2.50 special is without doubt the best shoe ever sold in the city for the price. It has all the style of a much higher priced shoe, being made with the slipper foxing, on the extreme pointed and narrow square toe, lace and button. You can enter our doors at all times with a feeling that nowhere in town can

## You Get More For Your Money

in Boots, Shoes and Rubber goods of all description than you can here. That truth, the proof is on our shelves. Investigation convinces. Investigate. Do not forget we have as fine a line of

## Rubber Goods, Felt Goods, Etc.

as was ever shown in the city. Come and see us if you need anything in this line.

## The A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE RELIABLE SHOE MEN.

## A Smash at The Annex

To clear up all Holiday stock preparatory to invoicing, we will mark all the remaining Holiday goods,

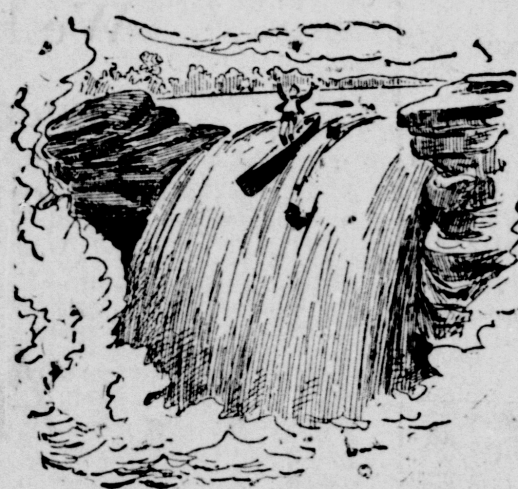
## Toys, Books, Fancy Articles,

hundreds of things at COST. Your chance of a life-time to get things cheap. We take the aforesaid inventory in a few days, so if you want anything in these lines

## Visit The Annex Soon.

Remember they go at cost. Lowell's word for cheap prices. You know what that means.

LOWELL'S ANNEX.





## SENTENCED STATE'S PRISON

GER FINALLY ADMIT-  
ED HIS GUILT.

Term Was Given Him By  
Judge Phelps—His Cap-  
tivity Accomplished By Sheriff  
—The Other Doings Before  
Court.

D. Warner admitted this  
to Judge Phelps that he was  
forging and passing a bank  
check for \$22.50, six years  
withdrawing his plea of not  
guilty. The  
trepreneur convicted him of the  
forgery and uttering of forged  
and sentenced him to one year  
in prison.

His capture was the result of  
detective work by Sheriff W. H.

in Chicago for the purpose  
of getting back George H. McKen-  
ney for a year, and while walk-  
ing on Wentworth avenue, in Engle-  
wood, passed Wallace upon the  
said the sheriff. "I knew him  
quite, but he didn't recognize  
me after he had passed me a few  
miles around and followed  
me a merry chase of at  
least five miles, when finally he dis-  
covered me in a hallway.

Located His Home.

That was just what I was waiting  
to know where he lived.  
A few moments I concluded to  
go to the house where he resided at that time  
and I stepped into a second hand  
store and obtained the desired infor-  
mation. The man told me Warner was  
there with a woman; his occu-  
pation being a sewing machine agent  
for the Singer Company. I concluded  
that the matter rest for the present,  
having the location "spotted," I  
went about my business and brought  
McKenney to this city. After  
McKenney returned to Chicago and at once  
went to Englewood, but upon re-act-  
ing Warner's number I was surprised  
to find that Warner and the woman  
had moved. After a four day's ski-  
pping I located them in a flat not far  
from their old location, and on the  
evening of the 20th I had him ar-  
rested on a fugitive warrant, and  
Englewood constable serving the war-

Warner Was Detained

Warner was then taken to the  
Englewood station where he remained  
in default of \$500 bail. The next  
morning I visited the jail and found  
that Wallace had engaged a lawyer  
and that he refused to come to Wis-  
consin without the proper papers. Of  
course I then had to take a ten day  
journey so that I could  
requisition papers, and in  
the meantime Warner was transferred  
to cell in the Cook county jail. My  
trip was to Madison, where,  
after obtaining the necessary docu-  
ments, I left for Springfield and from  
there proceeded to Chicago where I  
arrived late in the evening. When I  
arrived in Chicago I went direct to the  
Cook county jail. Warner has been  
confined in the same apartments that  
he escaped from nearly six years ago."

THE OTHER COURT BUSINESS

The Card Playing Cases Were Disposed Of  
This Morning

The cases of the four men who were  
charged with playing cards were  
called in the municipal court this  
morning, and all entered a plea of  
guilty. John Corb was fined \$40 and  
costs, amounting to \$47.97, and Wal-  
lace Hallett was assessed \$25 and  
costs, \$30.97. In the cases of E. C.  
Lloyd and W. L. Stoddard there were  
extenuating circumstances and both  
were assessed nominal fines in conse-  
quence.

"I was on the way to the depot  
with a friend of mine," said Mr. Lloyd  
to a Gazette man, "and was stopped  
at the bowling alley. Some one pro-  
posed a game of cards for the cigars  
and I refused to play. They  
needed another man to complete the  
game, so I finally sat down to  
fill it out for them. I had not been in  
the chair two minutes before Officer  
Hogan appeared. It was simply a  
game for a cigar, and I had no idea of  
playing for money. I pleaded guilty  
as the easiest way out of the difficul-  
ty. I was in the game under pro-  
test. It was the first time I was ever  
arrested and it is the last time I will  
ever be before the court."

CUBAN WAR SENDS SUGAR UP.

Local Grocers Are Notified of An Advance  
In Price.

That the Cuban war would have any  
direct effect on the residents of the  
Bower City has hardly been expected,  
but such has proved to be the case.  
During the past week local grocery-  
men have received numerous telegrams  
from Chicago stating that sugar had  
taken a jump and that it was liable  
to keep on an upward course for some  
time to come. Each telegram stated  
that it had gone up  
one-eighth of a cent.  
A local grocery man says the cause is  
the Cuban war. From that island  
the greatest part of our sugar comes  
and very little leaving that country  
now. "There will be no more sugar  
sold in this store at 22 pounds for a  
dollar," remarked a west side merchant  
"for it costs us now \$5.72 a hundred  
and we are losing money."

Wide Sheetings.

We still show a good line of wide  
unbleached sheetings, only damaged  
by water on end of piece, that we will  
sell you at a saving of one-fourth.  
Bort, Bailey & Co.

## TALK HEARD ABOUT THE TOWN.

No paper tomorrow.

A. O. H. DANCE tonight.

DR. O'LEARY'S lecture tonight.

SCHOOL commences next Monday.

Y. M. C. A. LECTURE this evening.

CHRISTMAS tree at St. Paul's church  
to night.

SERVICES will be held at St. John's  
church tonight.

WATCH night services at the Metho-  
dist churches tonight.

WORKMEN finished the Northwestern  
depot platform today.

We wish you all a Happy New Year.  
Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

JANESVILLE City Lodge No. 90 I. O.  
O. F. will meet tonight.

PAINTERS are now at work on the  
Valentine Blatz warehouse.

THE Janesville Whist club will meet  
tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

RUBBER goods and warm goods of  
all kinds at the Richardson Shoe Co's.

ONIX top table banquet lamp and  
silk shade complete \$5.48 at Wheel-  
ock's.

THE N. O. W. club's leap year party  
will occur at the Armory tomorrow  
night.

A SPECIAL communication of West-  
ern Star Lodge No. 14 F. and A. M.  
tonight.

WARM shoes and slippers, all kinds  
at lowest prices. A. Richardson Shoe  
Company.

G. BOOTH, of Whitewater, drove  
overland today with a load of flour for  
local merchants.

WE are headquarters for children's  
school shoes; all kinds and prices.  
A. Richardson Shoe Co.

TAKE a walk with Brown Bros. &  
Lincoln's fine shoes, and you will  
never wear any others.

THE Thoroughgood Box Factory has  
shut down for the week, while an in-  
ventory is being taken.

LADIES satin slippers one day more  
at \$1.50, the \$3.50 and \$3.50 kinds.  
Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

POORMASTER Kanyon left this morn-  
ing for the Milwaukee Industrial  
School, with Flora Schultz.

\$3.00 and \$3.50 ladies' satin slip-  
pers all colors, for \$1.50 one day more  
at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

KEEP comfortable, you can do it if  
you have a pair of the A. Richardson  
Shoe Co's. shoes or slippers.

A VERY little money buys a good  
jacket or cape, at our genuine one-  
half price sale. Bort, Bailey & Co.

WHILE alighting from a moving  
train at the depot, Hon. Cyrus Miner  
accidentally fell, spraining his wrist.

CALL on Ball & Bates for fresh brown  
bread, doughnuts, pies, fruit cake and  
all baked goods formerly sold by the  
Woman's Exchange.

Do not kick because your feet are  
cold, but go the People's shoe store  
and buy something to keep them  
warm. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

A Pair of our four trimmed Nullifiers  
will make your wife happy and com-  
fortable. Get a pair and see if we  
are not right. A. Richardson Shoe  
Co.

BEAR in mind the illustrated lecture  
at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight.  
One hundred views in "The Hawaiian  
Islands." Admission is twenty-five  
cents.

We have a few pair of box calf  
shoes left for the gentlemen. You  
ought to have a pair; just the thing  
for this weather. A. Richardson Shoe  
Company.

MR. and Mrs. E. A. Hyde, 252  
South Third street, entertained the  
cinech club Monday evening. Prizes  
were won by Mrs. George S. Parker  
and E. C. Johnson.

THE fact is not generally known  
that Janesville people can stop at the  
Tremont house, Chicago, at a rate  
commensurate with the times, \$2.50 a  
day, room and meals.

My actual cost sale begins tomorrow  
and lasts for thirty days. It is the  
only month in the year and only store  
in Wisconsin, ever offering such an  
opportunities to buy goods. W. H.  
Ashcraft.

If you missed the illustrated lec-  
ture last evening at the Y. M. C. A.  
building, don't fail to attend the one  
this evening on "The Hawaiian Is-  
lands." Admission is but twenty-five  
cents.

My stock is now complete and offer  
for cash, any article of furniture at  
exactly what it cost. I am not clos-  
ing out, but simply doing business one  
month each year for pleasure and  
making room for new goods. Call and  
examine the goods. W. H. Ashcraft.

WHEAT is very low just now, and we  
have taken the opportunity to make a  
special sale of flour for cash, this  
week. The Washburn Crosby's Gold  
Medal at 85 cents, and Hard-to-Beat at  
75 cents. This is your chance to get a  
fancy flour at a very low price. C. A.  
Sanborn & Co.

If it were put to a vote who was  
really the handsomest and finest  
formed woman on the American stage  
last season, the count would certainly  
fall in favor of Miss Maud King, the  
"Fairy Christaline" of Charles H.  
Yale's "Newest" Devil's Auction Com-  
pany, who has been re-engaged to im-  
personate the "good fairy." She will  
be here soon.

PERMANENT popularity produced by  
promises promptly performed, is the  
privilege and property of this store.  
The public perceive our push and per-  
severance in providing perfect goods  
and pounding prices to suit the pocket-  
books of the people. A personal inspec-  
tion will prove this; but please peruse  
the printed proofs elsewhere. Prevail-  
ing pinched profitless prices are pull-  
ing people our way. J. M. Bostwick  
& Sons.

## BONDS ARE SEVERED ACCORDING TO LAW

FOUR DIVORCES GRANTED BY  
JUDGE BENNETT.

Two Cases Came From Jefferson  
County—One From Edgerton and  
One From Beloit—Judge Sale's  
Ruling On a Probate Court Matter  
Is Upheld.

In the matter of divorces the circuit  
court did a lively business today.  
Judge Bennett granting four decrees.  
The case of Eva M. Hall vs. Wallace  
E. Hall, both of Beloit, came up. The  
plaintiff appeared in person, and by  
her attorney, Silas W. Menzie. A di-  
vorce was granted on the ground of  
desertion, the defendant failing to ap-  
pear.

Betsy A. Liebman was granted a  
divorce, freeing her from her husband,  
Lewis Liebman. The case came here  
from Jefferson county. Desertion was  
the grounds.

Loren Nelson was granted a divorce  
from Lillie Nelson, on the same  
grounds, this case also coming from  
Jefferson county. L. B. Caswell ap-  
peared for the plaintiff in both cases.

Martha A. Haylock was given a di-  
vorce from William E. Haylock, on  
the grounds of desertion also. The  
parties resided at Edgerton.

Judge Bennett also decided an ap-  
peal from the county to the circuit  
court in the matter of the estate of  
Mary Ann Miller. The question was  
whether or not certain nephews and  
nieces should share alike. Judge Sale  
decided that they should. From this  
decision an appeal was taken, and  
Judge Bennett affirmed Judge Sale's  
decision.

LECTURE AT Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

R. J. Bennett of Chicago Opened the  
Course Last Night.

The lecture course under the aus-  
pices of the Y. M. C. A. was opened  
at the new building last evening by  
R. J. Bennett of Chicago. The lec-  
ture was prefaced with music by the  
Y. M. C. A. band after which Mr.  
Bennett was introduced by John M.  
Whitehead.

His lecture was of unusual interest.  
It dealt with a "Trip To and Through  
the Yosemite," and the illustrations  
made it doubly effective. The views  
were secured along the route from  
Denver and were exceptionally fine.  
The entertainment was fully enjoyed  
by the audience and Mr. Bennett was  
warmly praised by all who heard him.

Tonight he will talk of Hawaiian  
life and scenery and his lecture will  
be a rare treat. All who can attend  
should do so, as one of Mr. Bennett's  
lectures is worth the price of the  
course ticket.

FAMILY REUNION AT EDGERTON

Janesville People Will Celebrate With Mr.  
and Mrs. T. B. Earle

A regular old fashioned family re-  
union will take place tomorrow at the  
Edgerton home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B.  
Earle. A number are expected from  
different parts of the county; and  
among those who will attend from  
this city will be Mr. and Mrs. DeFor-  
est and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. H.  
Soverhill, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Porter,  
Mr. and Mrs. S. Soverhill, Mr. and  
Mrs. F. J. Monat and James Scott.

J. SPIVAK'S HORSE RUNS AWAY

Driver Was Thrown and the Wagon Was  
Wrecked.

A runaway horse belonging to John  
Spivak, the Main street merchant,  
made things lively this morning in  
the vicinity of South Bluff street and  
Oakland avenue. As the outfit was  
coming up Oakland avenue, one of the  
wheels came off throwing the driver  
out. The horse, after running  
through a number of yards in the  
vicinity, finally ended up in a sand  
bank where he was captured. The  
wagon was a wreck.

TOOK VOWS AT CUPID'S ALTAR

Martin-Prichard.

Last evening, in Chicago, Miss Anna  
M. Prichard of this city, and John F.  
Martin of Chicago, were married by  
Rev. William W. Wilson of St. Mark's  
church. Miss Prichard is the daughter  
of Justice and Mrs. M. S. Prichard,  
while the groom is a well known busi-  
ness man of the World's Fair City, he  
being connected with the Cycle Cyclo-  
motor Manufacturing Company. Mr.  
and Mrs. Martin are expected to ar-  
rive in this city this evening on their  
wedding tour and will be the guests of  
the bride's parents.

Post Office Hours New Years

From 9 o'clock to 9 a. m. and from  
2 to 3 p. m. Carriers make morning  
delivery; also at windows from 2 to 3  
p. m. Money order department  
closed.

A. O. WILSON, P. M.

Damaged Underwear

By water only, going at half price and  
less. We have it for men, women and  
children. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Turkish Bath for Ladies.

Hotel Myers Turkish baths for la-  
dies, 50 cents, all day Friday. Skilled  
woman attendant.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

The people know where to go to get  
reliable shoes at lowest prices. A.  
Richardson Shoe Co.

At R. M. Bostwick's today the  
lucky numbers were 124 and 326. W.  
H. Mosher, of Porter, held No. 54,  
which drew a gold watch a few days  
ago.

THERE will be a meeting tomorrow  
at 10:30 a. m. at the old rooms of the  
Business Men, to form a whist club. It  
is to be composed of all the gentle-  
men who are now members of any of  
the social whist clubs in this city. The  
initiation fee will be one dollar and  
the dues fifty cents a month.

## THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

EX-GOVERNOR Hoard was in the city  
today.

MISS ANNA McNEIL left for Chicago  
this morning.

WILL DAVIS was at Rockton today,  
buying horses.

MISS ETTA HANCHETT is visiting  
friends in Madison.

MISS FLORENCE MINER has returned  
to her home in Chicago.

A. D. NOTT left this morning for a  
short visit in Edgerton.

E. D. MILLER of the Myers House,  
spent the day in Chicago.

MISS FANNIE WARREN, now of Al-  
bany, was in the city today.

E. W. SCHULTZ returned this morn-  
ing from a short visit at Watertown.

MR. and Mrs. D. Brown are enter-  
taining Miss Grace Griggs of Spencer,  
Iowa.

MISS KITTIE WATERMAN of Milton, is  
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David  
Brown.

MRS. MARY RICHARDSON left this  
morning for a short visit with friend  
at Madison.

THE Misses Ida and Zella Harris left  
on the noon train, for an extended trip  
to California.

MR. and Mrs. Frank Gray and wife  
left this morning on a pleasure trip to  
California.

MR. and Mrs. W. B. Noyes left this  
morning for Madison where they will  
spend New Years.

MISS EMILY CRAPPEY of Rochester,  
N. Y., is visiting in the city, the guest  
of Miss Mae Valentine.

MISS JENNETTE LYNTS left this morn-  
ing for Madison, where she will spend  
New Years with friends.

ROBERT BEAR left this morning for  
Geneseo, where he will attend a wed-  
ding reception this evening.

MR. and Mrs. William Peterson, of  
Chicago, are visiting in the city, guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. James Dee.

MR. and Mrs. D. K. Jeffris and Mrs.  
Anna S. Hanchett will spend New  
Years with relatives at Madison.

A YOUNG lady made her appearance  
last evening at the South Main street  
home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell.

G. W. JONES left this morning for  
Milwaukee, where he will spend New  
Years, the guest of his brother, Dr.  
T. R. Jones.

MISS MABEL LEWIS entertained a  
number of friends at the Jackman  
street home of her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. F. F. Lewis.

MISS LUCINDA HOSKINS, who has  
been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr.  
Lane, returned this morning to her  
home in Wauwatosa.

W. E. MANSUR, who has been spend-  
ing the holidays in the city, leaves to-  
morrow for Chicago, to resume his  
studies at a medical college.

R. B. McNEIL and daughter Miss  
Norma, left on the noon train for  
Las Vegas, N. M., in hopes of bene-  
fitting Miss Norma's health.

MISS CARRIE BAKER, who was called  
here by the illness of her mother, has  
returned to her duties as a nurse at  
the County Hospital, Chicago.

EX-Governor Peck of Milwaukee,  
and Gus Lougee and Charles Cooley,  
of Madison, are coming down Thurs-  
day evening to visit their friends of  
the Angle Worm club.

THE FREE KINDERGARTEN PLAN

The Move Seems To Be Meeting with  
Much Encouragement.

The movement towards the organiza-  
tion of a public kindergarten is meet-  
ing with much encouragement. Sev-  
eral interested parties have contrib-  
uted largely. If the people of Janes-  
ville are sufficiently alive to the value  
of this enterprise, there will be no  
lack of pupils. It is certain that with  
the expense so ridiculously low as ten  
cents a week, for what as a rule costs  
from 75 cents to one dollar a week, the  
backers of this philanthropic move-  
ment ought to be at no loss to find  
those who are ready to make the best  
of this opportunity.

DR. AND MRS. ST. JOHN'S CLOSE CALL

Narrowly Escaped From A Fire at Salt  
Lake City.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. St. John had a  
very narrow escape Sunday evening in  
the burning of the Keeley Institute at  
Salt Lake City, of which Dr. St. John  
is manager. During the night Mrs.  
St. John was awakened by the smell  
of smoke. The office underneath them  
was all ablaze and they barely  
had time to escape in their night  
clothes, losing a number of their be-  
longings as well as most of their fur-  
niture. The fire was caused by the  
crossing of electric wires between the  
flooring.

A No. 1 Jersey cow for sale cheap. Enquire  
of Wm. B. Campbell, 296 South Academy  
street.

COAL

Our No. 2 Per ton \$6

All Other Sizes, " 7

Until Further Notice

We have a fine lot of oak chunks at  
\$4.75 per cord or two cords for \$9.00.  
Sawed two or three times.

Janesville Coal Company.

Freight and Baggage Line.

Piano Moving and special atten-  
tion to at reasonable prices  
on short notice.

Office at Smith's drug store. Re-  
sidence 202 Locust street. Piano boxes  
for sale.

C. W. SCHWARTZ.

## HYZER IS MANAGER OF THE WATER CO.

C. L. CLARK'S INJURY COMPELS  
HIS RESIGNATION.

O. W. Bemis Leaves Thoroughgood &  
Co. to Take Charge of the Bladen &  
Co. Paper Box Factory and  
George F. Kimball Succeeds  
Him.

Attorney E. M. Hyzer will take full  
charge of the Janesville Water Com-  
pany's affairs January 1. Mr. Hyzer  
is secretary of the company, and in  
addition to the responsibilities of that  
office will assume those of manager.

Clarence L. Clark's injury is likely  
to leave him helpless for some time,  
hence the necessity for his retirement.

W. E. Clinton retires from the super-  
intendency of the Bladen & Company  
box factory today. He will be suc-  
ceeded by O. W. Bemis, part owner of the  
plant, who will give the business his  
personal attention in the future. Mr.  
Bemis' place in Thoroughgood & Co's  
office will be filled by George F. Kim-  
ball. Mr. Clinton, having his hands  
freed from the box factory, will be  
able to give all his time to his bindery  
business, which is growing steadily.

Price Makes Them Fit Well.

A pair of our American Cordovan  
shoes for men, is a crackerjack for the  
price; only \$2.50. A. Richardson Shoe  
Company.

YOU SHOULD INSURE

WITH THE

COVENANT.

Mutual Life

Association.

BECAUSE—You realize the full  
value of the cost, and in the event of  
death or lapse, no excessive amounts  
are forfeited to the corporation.

BECAUSE—You participate in the  
savings and profits after the third year;  
therefore, the longer you pay the  
greater benefit you derive.

BECAUSE—Its policies are the best,  
the simplest and the cheapest.

Every desirable form of policy  
written at rates much less than  
Old-Line charges.

Good local solicitors wanted in  
Rock, Green and Walworth counties.

C. E. BOWLES, Dist. Agent.

Over M. & M. Bank, Janesville, Wis.

Best Patent Flour

(QUALITY GUARANTEED.)

Eighty Cents.

Second Patent Flour,

75 cents.

Family Flour, good quality,

70 cents.

Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. for

One Dollar.

All kinds of spices whole or ground;  
pepper, allspice, cinnamon, cloves,  
ginger and mustard, per lb.,

15 cents.



**An Enthusiast.**  
Doctor—Have you taken your pills regularly?  
Patient—Every two hours as directed.  
Doctor—Did you eat nothing except what I told you?  
Patient—Nothing.  
Doctor (enthusiastically shaking his patient's hand)—My dear sir, you are a model patient. You deserve to be sick, you do.—Texas Sittings.

**Safe in Africa.**  
First Missionary—Let us give thanks that we are here in Africa among the heathen.

**Second Missionary—Why so?**  
First Missionary—I see by an American paper that our brother who recently returned to his Christian home has been sand-bagged in the streets of Omaha and a bishop has been mobbed in Denver.—N. Y. Weekly.

**The Silver Question.**  
His hair was silvered while her locks were gold.  
"Come, be my wife," said he; "I'm not too old."  
"Silver and gold can't wed, so don't insist," quoth she, "for I'm a monometallist."  
—Milton Goldsmith, in Judge.



**PROOF POSITIVE.**  
"How do you know he married for money?"  
"I've seen her."—Sketch.

**Extreme Case.**  
"My wife is a jewel," he said with a sigh, "More precious than silver or gold; And O so warm-hearted! Perhaps that is why Her feet are so awfully cold!"  
—Chicago Tribune.

**The Tidal Wave.**  
Watts—Tell you, old man, I am as glad as can be that prize-fighting has been knocked out in this country.

**Potts—What objections have you to prize-fights?**

**Watts—Oh, none in particular; but I do enjoy the sensation of sitting around and thinking how good we are.**—Indianapolis Journal.

**Not a Crying Evil.**  
See the young woman.  
Is the young woman being suddenly and unexpectedly kissed?  
Ah, yes.  
And does the young woman raise a hue and cry?  
The young woman raises a slight hue but no cry.—Detroit Tribune.

**Qualified to Judge.**  
"He had the reputation of being a good man, but I consider him the toughest citizen I ever struck!"  
With this remark the cannibal chieftain put the lid on the pot again and added fresh fuel to the fire.—Chicago Tribune.

**Not Worth Mentioning.**  
Violinist (proudly)—The instrument I shall use at your house to-morrow evening, Mein Herr, is over 200 years old.

**Parvenu—Oh, never mind that. It is good enough. No one will know the difference.**—Harper's Bazar.

**Not What He Expected.**  
Author—You sent me a check for that article, but you don't use it.  
Editor—No; I only sent it to encourage you.  
Author—To what?  
Editor—To let up on me.—Town Topics.

**Girl Wanted.**  
"Why is my wife like one in the wilderness?" asked Boggs of his friend Foggs.  
"I give it up," said Foggs.  
"She is crying for help," and Boggs smiled over the idiom of our language.—Detroit Free Press.

**The Great Attraction.**  
Smith—My wife gave me a pair of beautifully embroidered suspenders. They are simply gorgeous.  
Jones—You like them, do you?  
Smith—Yes; I like them because they don't show.—Puck.

**In Bloomers Continually.**  
Wireby—I don't see how you economize by letting your wife have a bicycle.  
Tireby—I do. She rides so much, she has no time to wear her other clothes out.—N. Y. World.

**A Trouble That Troubles.**  
Doler—Are you troubled with the toothache?  
Moler (in agony)—Great Caesar! Did you ever know a person to have toothache without being troubled with it?—Roxbury Gazette.

**Escaped Her.**  
"I wonder what has become of that little patch of court-plaster?" mused the young woman in front of the mirror. "I had it at my tongue's end a minute ago."—Chicago Tribune.

**No Rice in His.**  
Mrs. Slimdiet—You don't seem to like rice very well, Mr. Peck.  
Henry Peck—It is associated with one of the most distressing mistakes I ever was guilty of.—N. Y. World.

**A Real Necessity.**  
If the cycle in war is to stand under fire, Let's all clamor for A bullet-proof tire.  
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

**Economize.**  
One and a half teaspoonfuls  
**Horsford's Baking Powder.**  
gives better results than two full teaspoonfuls of any other. TRY IT.

**Giving Away \$100 Wheels**

to get you to buy our goods. We want to sell our Diamond Java and Mocha Coffee or Aaa Coffee, our Perfection Baking Powder or Unrivalled Baking Powder to every family in this town—and we're going to, because of their excellence and because to win your trade we are offering \$100 High Grade 1895 Bicycles or \$50 cash premiums to purchasers of our goods.

Buy a package of any of the above at your grocers' and learn about our fair and simple prize puzzle.

SPRAGUE, WARNER & CO., 11-13 Randolph St., Chicago.

**The Great Bargain House**  
IN THE LINE OF  
**Groceries, Meats and Provisions**

We cater to the wants of our patrons. Aim to have the best goods we can buy, and are offering them at **ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES.** Buying and selling choice country produce we make a specialty. Fine Teas and Coffees, full line of Canned and Bottled Goods. Examine our stock and get our prices. Goods promptly delivered.

	Our Price.	Others' Price
Currants per lb.	5c	per lb 10c
Raisins per lb.	5c	per lb 10c
Dried Peaches per lb.	5c	per lb 10c
Canned Corn per can.	5c	per can 10c
Soap per bar.	3c	per bar 5c
Tea per lb.	50c	per lb 60c
Oat meal, the best, lb.	3c	per lb 5c
Rice per lb.	5c	per lb 8c
Crackers per lb.	5c	per lb 7c
Allspices, per 1/4 lb.	10c	per 1/4 lb 12-15c
Cottolene per lb.	7c	per lb 10c
Cotosuet per lb.	7c	per lb 10c
Vegetole per lb.	7c	per lb 10c
Fancy Christmas candies per lb.	8c	per lb 15c
Syrup per gal.	30c	per gal 50c
Corn Meal per sack.	15c	per sack 20c
Total.....	\$1.70	2.55

**A. C. MUNGER,**  
No. 20 North Main street.

**The Latter End** of a contract is vastly more important than the first.

Insurance that you can't get after you have paid for it isn't cheap at half a cent.

Royal Insurance Company.....	Net Surplus, \$2,195,842.
Windsor Insurance Company.....	Net Surplus, \$1,965,543.
Traders' Insurance Company.....	Net Surplus, \$1,285,556.
Commercial Union Assurance Company.....	Net Surplus, \$98,883.
Pennsylvania National Fire Insurance Company.....	Net Surplus, \$1,280,174.

These are but five out of my list of Companies. The figures quoted suggest Safety, Reliability and Ample Protection. These are points worth considering.

**SILAS HAYNER, Room 10, Jackson Block.**

**KEELEY CURE.**

To the Public:

Some so called Institutes for the cure of drunkenness envious of the record we have established, are spreading reports calculated to mislead the public and which are to the effect that branches of the genuine Keeley Institute are established in various parts of the state. We are also informed that agents of some of these institutions are doing business by making misleading statements. For the protection of the people of Wisconsin we desire to announce that we employ no agents whatever and are responsible only for patients treated at our Ripon, Wis. and Waukesha, Wis. Institutes. We point with pride to the fact that out of 275,000 patients so far treated by the genuine Keeley Method used by us, not one case has gone wrong. We challenge the world to bring up a patient who has taken the Keeley Cure at any of our Institutes and has been killed or even injured as has been the case with patients of some of these institutions. Our method is endorsed by the U. S. Government and eminent men all over the United States. Beware of fake institutes. For further particulars address

**A. W. ROBINSON,**  
P. O. Box 277, Waukesha, Wis.  
Sole Manager.  
For Keeley Institutes at Ripon and Waukesha, Wis.

**LOANS : : :**  
Money on real estate.  
Large or small amounts.  
See me about  
**FIRE INSURANCE.**  
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**The TRAVELERS' PREFERRED ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION**

Has written Life Insurance business for the past nine years, and at the present time have not an unpaid claim in the United States. They have written more insurance in Janesville than all other companies represented in the city. If your time has a moneyed value protect it by a policy in the Travelers' Preferred Accident Association.

**E. W. FOWLER,**  
President.  
Represented by  
**G. H. CLINE,**

**WHO MINDS THE WIND**

IF WARMLY ATTIRED?

But there are several kinds of warm attire. We have them

**"STALEY'S WESTERN MADE"**  
WOOL UNDERWEAR & OVERSHIRTS



The first essential is well-fitting wool underwear. We have the unusual kinds that really fit. But the best of all kinds is the "Staley." They are warm, closely woven and durable, but not overheavy.

No. 219 costs per garment... **\$1.00**  
No. 00 costs per garment... **1.50**  
No. 226, costs per garment... **2.00**

And is extra fine Australian wool.

**A. G. STALEY MFG. CO.**  
FACTORY SOUTH BEND — IND.

Next comes the overcoat in which the same requirements prevail. It must be warm and pliable, without becoming burdensome. Even our heaviest ulsters

**Are As Soft**

**As Lamb's Wool.**

They are all Adler's make and are going fast now at ruinous prices.

**FRANK H. BAACK.**



**IT'S SURE TO COME**

This thaw is only temporary. We are bound to have more snow and more sleighing. Winter has just started, a good long seige of cold weather may yet be expected. We have sold many Cutters thus far and are preparing to sell many more as soon as proper weather comes. We will sell

**Cutters cheaper than ever**

5 to 10 per cent less than they have ever been sold for before. This is our plan.

**January 1st, 1896--**

we will sell goods for cash or on short time well secured note. In this way we can afford to sell stock at a small margin. Its better for the purchaser and better for us. Don't buy a cutter until you see us.

**D. B. MORRISON,**  
Successor to Transfer & Implement Co.

**CLOAKS--**

**HALF PRICE.**

**MUFFS--**

**FREE.**

And the largest stock of up-to-date garments in the state to select from.

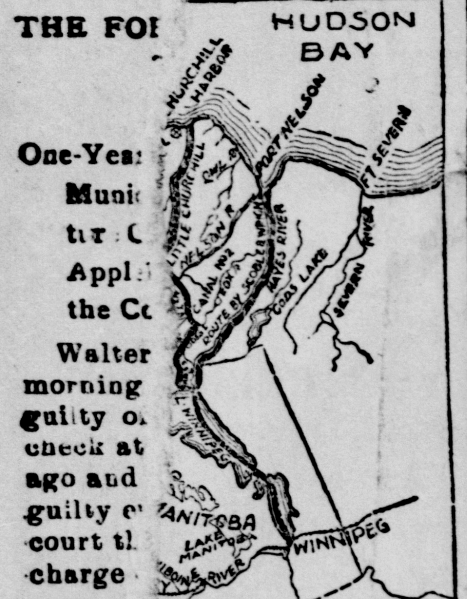
**IT IS NOT WISE**

To buy a Cloak elsewhere---We say it ---You should know it---Come in and see

**ARCHIE REID & CO.**

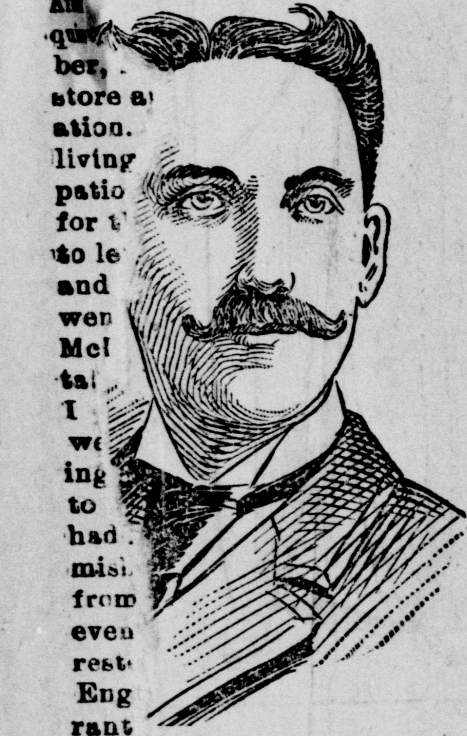


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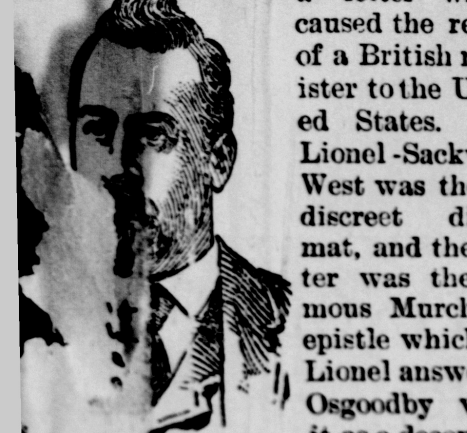


EDWIN D. WHELOCK.  
 ation in Chicago, and the  
 and spread to some extent  
 in Illinois. Now leagues are in  
 nearly every state, and their  
 being largely felt. The ob  
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 Platt has a widespread  
 as a shrewd and successful  
 out it is also fact that he is  
 and far more successful  
 business man. He started in to  
 his fortune at about the same



OG STORE ONCE KEPT BY T. C. PLATT.  
 that he took a hand in politics. In  
 ago, N. Y., there is still running a  
 rug store that was once owned by Mr.  
 latt, and in the back room of that  
 me store were hatched the plans  
 which resulted in his becoming presi  
 of a big express company and made  
 a power in national politics.

He Wrote the Murchison Letter.  
 George Osgoodby of Pomona, Cal.,  
 the distinction of having written  
 a letter which  
 caused the recall  
 of a British min  
 ister to the Unit  
 ed States. Sir  
 Lionel Sackville  
 West was the in  
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 mat, and the let  
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 mous Murchison  
 epistle which Sir  
 Lionel answered.  
 Osgoodby wrote  
 it as a decoy, and  
 Osgoodby. Sir Lionel fell  
 and tap by replying that he be  
 lieved Cleveland would favor England  
 and... ag "Murchison" to vote for  
 No one knew who "Murchison"  
 until Sir Lionel's recent attempt to  
 deny himself led Osgoodby to confess.



From Printer's Devil to Senator.  
 Joseph Burbridge McCallagh, who  
 began life as a printer's devil on a New  
 York newspaper,  
 may be  
 an ex  
 ceptional  
 man. He  
 has been  
 successively  
 printer's  
 devil, co  
 editor, and  
 now sena  
 tor. He is  
 one of the  
 most prom  
 ising men  
 in the  
 political  
 world of  
 New York.



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 fered with female trou  
 bles. I was so bad that  
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 assistance from the bed  
 to the chair. I  
 tried all the doc  
 tors and the  
 medicines that I  
 thought would  
 help me.  
 "One day,  
 while looking  
 over the paper,  
 I saw the ad  
 vertisement of your  
 Vegetable Com  
 pound. I thought  
 I would try it. I  
 did so, and found  
 relief. I was in bed when I first began to  
 take the Compound. After taking four  
 bottles, I was able to be up and walk  
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 life."—Mrs. HATTIE MADAM, 184 North  
 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill.

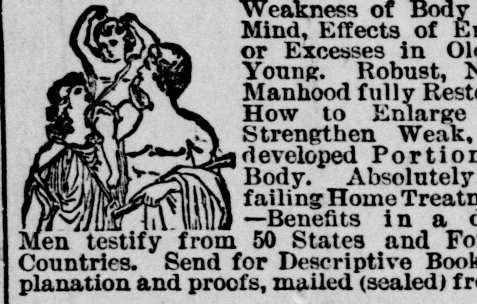
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Owing to the rainy fall Tuesday and at the request of many cus  
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Until March 1st.

**But  
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 does to

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to get one of the Gold Watches that are now in  
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 purchase may make you happy for life. Tuesday,  
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**Purchase fine suits today**

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**At least 10 per cent less**

than those fellows who are all ready to put up  
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The ticket No. 282, on the gold watch at Bostwick's,  
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that some houses are selling at lower prices than what the goods cost to be manufactured and that they are doing business without a profit. **DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT?** because the chances are they are making a larger profit than they want to tell you about.

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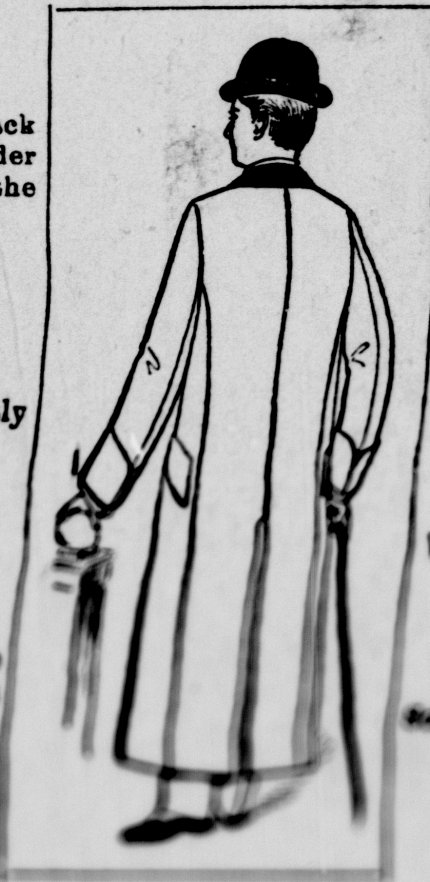
We name today actual cost price on any OVERCOAT or ULSTER in either Men's or Boys' in our store.



Elegant Overcoats in the stylish lengths in blue, black and brown kerseys, some with silk or satin shoulder linings and black clay body linings, others with the celebrated strap and wire cloth linings, now but  
**\$11.00.**

Imported meltons and kerseys, English makes, elegantly lined, now but  
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A fine line of kerseys and beavers, either fancy continuous linings or plain Italian. A regular \$12.50 coat at most places, now but  
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Heavy black freize Ulsters, (genuine Irish "freize," cut 54 inches long, heavy silk shoulders and heavy black clay worsted linings, silk sleeve linings. You couldn't find as good a coat about town for less than \$22 to \$25, now but  
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We are strong on black freize Ulsters at \$10 and \$12. Your choice while they last now but  
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CLOAKINGS,  
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TICKING,  
CHEVIOTS,



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CAMBRICS,  
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